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BIRTHS.

On the 10th instant, at Jinney Brothers, Cooma, Mrs. WILLIAM WALLACE, of a son.

On the 15th instant, at her residence, Louth Park Road, West Maitland, Mrs. RICHARD STARR, of a daughter.

On the 20th instant, at her residence, St. Leonards, the wife of GRENVILLE WILMOTT, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

On 10th instant, at the Congregational Church, Prahan, by the Rev. W. Moss, ALBERT CHARLES, second son of the late CHARLES SERVAIS TROUER, Esq., merchant, to ALICE, eldest daughter of the late Rev. THOMAS ODELL, of Lonsdale-street Congregational Church.

On the 19th instant, at St. Benedict's, by special license, by the Rev. Father Burne, ALLAN M'INTYRE, native of British North America, to ANN BELCHER, late of Tipperary, second daughter of PATRICK BURKE, Greek-street, Glebe, Sydney.

DEATHS.

On the 24th August, on board the Sarah Pile, on her passage from Levuka to Sydney, THOMAS BRECKENRIDGE, aged 36 years; born at Dalrymple, Ayrshire, Scotland. The deceased was brother to John W. Breckenridge, of Cape Hawk; James, of Richmond River; Robert, of Newcastle; William, of Taviuna, Fiji Islands; Hugh, of Glasgow; and Mrs. A. M Gill, of Albion Park; fifth son of Mr. John Breckenridge and Marion Cassillis, both of Lanarkshire, Scotland. He was for a number of years a resident at Araluen, and afterwards went to Levuka, where he continued his business of gunsmith and blacksmith for several years. During his residence in both places he won the esteem of the whole community by his extremely affable and obliging disposition. His health, however, failed him at the Fijis, and he deemed it prudent to remove from a tropical climate to Sydney, and took his passage in the Sarah Pile, schooner, which left Levuka for Sydney on the 15th of August. He had only, however, been but a few days at sea when he was seized with a severe attack of dysentery, from which he never rallied. His already weakened condition not being able to withstand it, he expired on the morning of the 24th August. Deceased leaves behind him numerous friends, relations, and Masonic brethren to mourn their loss. Colonial and home papers please copy.

On the 21st instant, at her residence, Sussex-street, GEORGINA SHANNON, beloved wife of THOMAS LOARING COOMBE, aged 46 years.

On the 21st instant, at his residence, Elizabeth Bay, Mr. JAMES BENNETT (of the firm of Bennett, Brothers), aged 57 years.

At her residence, 214, Kent-street, AGNES MEADWAY, aged 38, daughter of R. N. and Eliza Semple, of Kinsale, Ireland, leaving her husband and two children to mourn their loss.

SHIPPING.

UNITED STATES, NEW ZEALAND, and AUSTRALIA MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.
Under contract for the Conveyance of her Majesty's Mails.
SPECIAL NOTICE TO PASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS.
The following splendid A1 side-wheel steamships will be dispatched for San Francisco, viz.:—
NEVADA....2146 tons register, 800-horse power
NEBRASKA.2142 " " 800 "
DACOTAH ..2340 " " 800 "
The NEBRASKA,
Harding, commander, will be dispatched from AUCKLAND for HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK, and ENGLAND, on THURSDAY, 3rd October.
SHIPPERS of WOOL and other PRODUCE are notified that arrangements can be made for delivery of goods on THROUGH BILLS OF LADING at SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK, and other EASTERN CITIES: LIVERPOOL and LONDON.
London Agents—
Messrs. H. STARR and Co., Moorgate-street, London.
For all further particulars apply to W. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents, Lloyd's-chambers.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS
TO MELBOURNE.—Leichardt, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30. FARES—Saloon at current rates. Steerage £1 10s.
AUCKLAND.—Alexandra, Saturday, 28th instant.
HUNTER RIVER.—Collaroy, to-night, Monday, at 11; and Coonanbara, Wednesday night, at 11. Goods for Martin's Wharf, Miller's Forest and Paterson River, forwarded per Collaroy, to-night.
CLARENCE TOWN.—Coonanbara, Wednesday night, at 11.
BRISBANE.—City of Brisbane, this morning (Monday), at 10; and Queensland, Friday afternoon, at 5.
MARYBOROUGH.—Balclutha, this afternoon, Monday, at 5.
ROCKHAMPTON via MARYBOROUGH.—Balclutha, this afternoon, Monday, at 5.
CLEVELAND BAY.—Governor Blackall, Wednesday, at NOON.
CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
SHIPPERS are requested to complete their shipments for Melbourne and Queensland BEFORE 3 O'CLOCK on day of sailing.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.
A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, &c.
TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
THURSDAY MORNING, at 6, the MORPETH.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Office—foot of Market-street.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS TO THE CLARENCE RIVER.
The Clarence and New England Steam Navigation Company's Steamship HELEN MACGREGOR, will leave the Company's Wharf, at the foot of King-street, for GRAFTON, via NEWCASTLE, THIS DAY, at 9 p.m.
Unrivalled accommodation for cabin and steerage passengers at the lowest rates.
P. S. BUYERS, pro Manager.

THE C. AND R. R. S. N. CO.'S STEAMSHIPS.—To GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, via NEWCASTLE.—The AGNES IRVING, TO-MORROW NIGHT, Tuesday, at 10.
To MACLEAY RIVER, via NEWCASTLE and PORT MACQUARIE, taking cargo for Nambucca River (to be transhipped), the DIAMANTINA, TO-MORROW NIGHT, Tuesday, at 9.
To TAREE, MANNING RIVER, direct, the FIRE FLY, TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, Tuesday, at 4.
WM. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Sussex-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.
REDUCTION OF FARES.
The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will dispatch the steamship
MACEDON,
on THURSDAY, September 26th, at 2 o'clock p.m.
FARES:
Saloon.................. £3 0 0
Ditto, Return........... 5 10 0
Steerage................ 1 10 0
THE SALOON IS AMIDSHIPS.
The attention of second-class passengers is directed to the accommodation provided in the above vessel, with separate cabins for females and families.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE.
The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will dispatch the STEAMSHIP
MACEDON,
THIS DAY, MONDAY, September 23rd, at 8 o'clock p.m.
FARES:
Saloon 10s
Steerage 5s
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—The fine powerful steamship
HERO,
Webb, commander, 850 tons register, 300 horse power, will be dispatched from Grafton Wharf for above port, on
THURSDAY, 26th instant.
Wool received free of wharfage.
ELDRED and SPENCE, 62, Margaret-street.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.—S. S. CITY OF HOBART, from Grafton Wharf, on TUESDAY, 1st October, at
WILLIS, LLOYD, and CO.

STEAM TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.
The fast and powerful steamship
HAVILAH,
M. Fitzsimons, commander,
will be dispatched as above on WEDNESDAY next, the 25th instant, leaving the A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf at 5 p.m.
Cargo received without shipping order.
For freight or passage, apply to
MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE, Gresham-street, next Exchange.

MANLY BEACH.—STEAMER, THIS DAY, leaves Queen's Wharf, 10.15, 2.15, 5.30
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.30
Manly Beach, 8.15, 12, 4.15
Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s.
THOMAS HESELTON.

WATSON'S BAY STEAMER.—SIR CHARLES COWPER leaves Circular Quay 7, 10 15, 2 15, 4 15, Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2 45; Watson's Bay, 8 15, 11.30, Return tickets, 1s; children under 12, half-price

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG and KIAMA, TO-NIGHT, at 11.
MERIMBULA, TATHRA, EDEN.—TUESDAY, 9 a.m.
SHOALHAVEN.—TO-MORROW, at 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA, CLYDE.—FRIDAY, 9 a.m.
MORUYA.—FRIDAY, 4th October.

PARRAMATTA STEAMERS—EMU, ADELAIDE, and PELICAN—FROM FOOT OF KING-STREET, DAILY, AT HALF THE RAILWAY RATES.
FOR PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.
FOR HUNTER'S HILL—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5, 6.15.
FROM PARRAMATTA—6.50, 9, 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5 p.m.
FROM HUNTER'S HILL—8.15, 10.15; 12.15, 2.15, 4.15, 6 15 p.m.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS BY LORD ASHLEY.
GOODS will be received on Campbell's Wharf, Circular Quay, on MONDAY.
D. LITTLE.
62, Margaret-street.

CHARTERS TOWERS.
NOTICE TO LORD ASHLEY PASSENGERS.
The above steamer will leave Campbell's Wharf, Circular Quay,
TUESDAY, 24th instant, at 6 p.m. sharp.
D. LITTLE, 62, Margaret-street.

FOR LONDON.—FOR THE FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.—The clipper ship DUKE OF SUTHERLAND, 1047 tons register, having a large portion of her dead weight on board, and engagements made for wool and light freight, will meet with quick dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to Captain LOUTTIT, on board, at Circular Quay;
PARBURY, LAMB, and CO.; or SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO.
Wool received at Flood's.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—FIRST SHIP FOR LONDON.—The A1 Aberdeen clipper ship NINEVEH, 1174 tons register, Thomas Barnet, commander, having the whole of her dead weight on board, and the greater portion of her light freight engaged and down, will sail on 25th instant.
Has superior saloon accommodation.
For freight or passage apply to Captain Barnet, on board, Circular Quay; or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For February Sales.—The A1 Aberdeen clipper ship PATRIARCH, 1339 tons register, G. H. Pile, commander, having a large portion of her dead weight engaged, will sail as above.
Passengers are invited to inspect this vessel's superior saloon accommodation.
For freight or passage apply on board to Captain PILE, or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FOR LONDON.
For the February Wool Sales.
The magnificent iron clipper ship
PENTHESILEA,
AA 1 at Lloyd's for 20 years, W. Reed, commander.
This vessel having the bulk of her weight engaged, and being ready to receive cargo AT ONCE, will have quick dispatch.
For rates of freight, &c., apply to
LORIMER, MARWOOD, and ROME.
Wool received at Chester and Co.'s Cosmopolitan Wharf.

FOR THE FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
FOR WOOL AND LIGHT FREIGHT.
For LONDON, the clipper Barque,
SCHIEHALLION,
402 tons register, AA1 at Lloyds, John Levack, master.
WILLIS, LLOYD, and CO.
Wool received at Marsden's.

TO PASSENGERS FOR LONDON.—LA HOGUE will sail early in November. Has superior accommodation for saloon and intermediate passengers. Apply to Captain GODDARD; or to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR LONDON.—TO CATCH THE FEBRUARY SALES.
The splendid new clipper ship
HALLOWE'EN,
A 1 special survey, 920 tons register,
James Watt, commander.
This magnificent yacht-like clipper will have immediate dispatch, and leaving here on or about 5th November, will have ample time to catch the February Wool Sales, having just completed her first voyage, one of the fastest passages on record, from London to Sydney.
Wool received at Talbot's.
For freight apply to Captain WATT, on board, at Circular Quay; or to
LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO., Agents.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO direct, the Clipper Ship ROYAL EDWARD, 1508 tons register, Captain JOHN SHAW, will be dispatched from Sydney about 25th September.
For freight or passage, apply to
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO.

FOR SHANGHAI direct.—The clipper ship BANIAN, 760 tons register, Captain Richard B. Alleyne, will be dispatched from Sydney on the 5th October.
For light freight, apply to
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

FOR NAPIER direct.—The clipper schooner CYNTHIA, under engagement, will have immediate dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to S. HOFFNUNG and CO., Pitt-street; or JAMES THORNE, Exchange Corner.

ONLY VESSEL.—For LEVUKA and TAVIUNI, FIJI.—The clipper brig SCOTSMAN, 350 tons, George Hamilton, commander, is now loading at Campbell's Wharf, and having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick dispatch.
Has very superior accommodation for passengers.
T. and J. SKINNER, 15, Macquarie-place.

FOR BRISBANE direct.—The clipper schooner LISMORE, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will have immediate dispatch. C. B. BOND; or W. LAIDLEY and CO., Lloyd's-chambers.

PORT MACQUARIE.—The Thomas and Henry sails To-morrow, punctually. E. Lowther, 117, Sussex-st.

MACLEAY RIVER, all parts.—FLYING CLOUD, on WEDNESDAY. Victoria Wharf.

BARQUE IONIA, from Tahiti.—NOTICE.—The Master and Owner will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by the crew of the vessel whilst in this port.

HANNAH BROOMFIELD.—All ACCOUNTS against the above vessel must be sent in duplicate to the office of the undersigned by noon, THIS DAY.
JOHN FRAZER and CO., York-street.

SHIP NINEVEH, for LONDON.—All ACCOUNTS against the above vessel must be rendered in duplicate, at the office of the undersigned, by noon on TUESDAY, the 24th instant, or they will not be recognised.
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FREIGHT.—Owners of vessels proceeding to New Zealand, capable of loading Log and Spar Timber, can arrange for a return, or Foreign Freight, on application to
A. S. WEBSTER, 3, Gresham-street.

WANTED to Charter, a VESSEL, to load at Sydney; quick dispatch; good freight. 117, Sussex-street.

PRINCE ALFRED.—All ACCOUNTS against the barque Prince Alfred to be rendered in duplicate to the office of the undersigned not later than noon, THIS DAY.
A. S. WEBSTER, 3, Gresham-street.

FOR FREIGHT or CHARTER, the barque BRUNETTE, A1, 384 tons register, now in port.
GEORGE R. DIBBS, Victoria-chambers, Pitt-street.

PICNICS.—Steamer COBRA, from £5 10s per day. Steam Tug and Manly B. S. Office, 85, George-st.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

2 CO.—Drill, TO-NIGHT, Hyde Park, 7.30. C. A. WILSON, Captain.

5 CO. V. R.—Company DRILL, TO-NIGHT, Hyde Park, 7 30 sharp. A. O. MORIARTY, Captain.

SMALL-BORE RIFLE CLUB.—Quarterly Prize Shooting, next THURSDAY, 3 p.m. 1000 and 1100 yards, 10 shots at each.
W. FREEMAN, Secretary.

ROYAL FORESTERS' BAZAAR.—Persons holding TICKETS of the following numbers will please call at the Burrangong Hotel for their respective PRIZES:—
650, 856, 579, 704, 1026, 155, 1028, 89, 119, 810, 471, 588, 182, 469, 584, 8, 875, 750, 274, 718, 820.
E. SILVESTER, Secretary.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

JACOB WILLIAMS, formerly of Bristol, last heard of at Green Ponds, 10 years ago. Information respecting him thankfully received by E. L. WILLIAMS, Ballarat Hospital, Victoria.

MEETINGS OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

AMALGAMATED LEASES, Tucker's Hill.—A MEETING of the proprietors in the above leases will be held THIS DAY, at 4 p.m., at the office of Mr. T. J. Statchbury, Pitt-street.

ARMSTRONG GOLD MINING COMPANY, (Limited), HAWKINS HILL.
The first half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders will be held on WEDNESDAY, 25th September, at 4 p.m., at the office of the Company, 3, Belmore-chambers, 247, George-street, to receive the half-yearly report and balance-sheet; also to elect five directors and two auditors, with such other business as may be brought before them, in accordance with the articles of Association.
R. HALL, Secretary.

BOUNDARY AMALGAMATED TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).
A MEETING of Shareholders will be held on MONDAY, the 23rd instant, at quarter-past 2 p.m.
BUSINESS:
To consider alterations in Deed of Settlement.
Report received from the mine.
WILLIAM WALKER, Legal Manager.
Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street.

LORD BYRON GOLD MINING COMPANY, Box Ridge.—A MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Masonic Hall Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th instant, at half-past 7, for the adoption of the Draft Deed of Settlement.
DAVID A. CRICHTON, Manager.

MOLE RUN TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).—A MEETING of the Contributing Shareholders in this Company will be held at the Rooms of the undersigned, THIS DAY, 23rd instant, at noon.
SAMUEL SYMONDS, Greville's Rooms.

COSMOPOLITAN GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited), GOLDEN GULLY.
The first half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders will be held on THURSDAY, 26th September, at 4 p.m., at the Office of the Company, 3, Belmore-chambers, 247, George-street, to receive the half-yearly Report and balance-sheet; also, to Elect five Directors and two Auditors, with such other business as may be brought before them in accordance with the articles of association.
R. HALL, Legal Manager.

PYRMONT BRIDGE COMPANY.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Adjourned Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held in the Company's Offices, on THURSDAY, the 26th instant, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending the 30th of June last, and for such other business as may be brought before the Meeting.
By order of the Board,
WILLIAM MALBON, Secretary.
Pyrmont Bridge, September 14, 1872.

MORNING STAR GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
An Extraordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Exchange, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 23rd day of September instant, at noon, for the purpose of making such alterations in the Deed of Settlement as shall make the new shares already created to be preferent shares bearing interest at twelve per cent. per annum; and also to give, or define the Directors' power to borrow money on mortgage of the Company's property.
And,
in event of such alterations being carried thereat, then another Extraordinary General MEETING will be held on MONDAY, the 30th day of September instant, at the same hour and place, for the purpose of confirming such alterations.
By order of the Board,
J. G. COHEN, Legal Manager.
Sydney, 3rd September, 1872.

THE GREAT SOUTHERN GOLD MINING CO. (Limited).
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
An Extraordinary General MEETING of the Shareholders in this Company will be held at the Office, No. 3, Spring-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 24th September instant, at 3 o'clock sharp, to consider the present position and prospects of the Company.
By order of the Board,
W. H. DELOITTE, Legal Manager.
Sydney, 4th September, 1872.

AURELIAN QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, Solferino.
A MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Exchange, at 3 p.m. TO-DAY, to consider Deed of Settlement and transact other business.
By order of the Board,
T. H. HALE, Secretary.

BROWN SWAMP TIN COMPANY.
The MEETING for this evening POSTPONED till WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock—to meet news from mine.
H. TILLIDGE, Secretary.

TRESAVEAN COPPER MINING COMPANY.—A MEETING of the Proprietors of the above Company will be held at the Royal Hotel, THIS DAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 a.m. Business very important. All parties interested are requested to attend.

MEETINGS.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB, AND THE BLIND.—The Annual MEETING of the friends and subscribers will take place at the New Building, Newtown Road, on THURSDAY, October 10, 1872, at 3 o'clock p.m.
His Excellency Sir Hercules Robinson, K.C.B., has kindly consented to take the chair.
ELLIS ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

CRICKET.—The General MEETING of the members of the Norwood Cricket Club will be held at the Working Men's Institute, Petersham, on THURSDAY, 26th September, at 8. Business—Election of officers, &c.

MASONIC.—Zetland Chapter of Australia, 390. Installation Meeting, This Evening, 7.30.

MASONIC.—St. Andrew R. A. Chapter, No. 110, S.C.—TO-NIGHT (Monday), Regular Annual Convocation, at half-past 7.
C. R. AUSTIN, Scribe.

THE DISCUSSION, "Does the Bible teach the Immortality of the Soul?" will be continued in the United Temperance Hall, TO-NIGHT.

VIRTUE DIVISION, No. 13, DAUGHTERS of TEMPERANCE.—Members are requested to attend the Quarterly MEETING, at Wesleyan Schoolroom, Chippendale, on TUESDAY 24th, at 7.30 sharp. Business—Election of Officers, &c.
L. A. MORRIS, R. S.

NO. 74 L. O. L., Balmain.—Monthly MEETING, this evening, School of Arts, 7.30. J. C. Hickson, hon. sec.

SCHOOL OF ARTS DEBATING CLUB.—Business THIS EVENING—Debate: "Should the cost of a new water supply for the metropolis be borne by the city or the colony?" J. JACOBS, Hon. Secretary.

MONSTER MEETING OF CITIZENS to Sympathise with the Seamen, in the Temperance Hall, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at half-past 7. Mr. JOHN LUCAS, M.L.A., will preside. All interested in the welfare of seamen will please to attend.
C. H. MORTIMER, Secretary.

IRON WORKERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.—MEETING, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) EVENING, September 24th, at half-past 7. Business: Election of officers.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT.—The Delegates who have been appointed by the various Friendly Societies to consider the clauses of the new Bill about to be introduced into Parliament are requested to assemble at the Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street, on FRIDAY, the 4th October, at 8 p.m. sharp.
P. R. HOLDSWORTH, Hon. Secretary.

UNIVERSITY C. C.—Committee meets at the Oxford, 4.30 p.m. TO-DAY. Important business.

NOTICE.—The Committee appointed to carry out the arrangements for the forthcoming Grand SOIREE and CONVERZATIONE, to be held at Clark's Colonnade Rooms, Elizabeth-street, on MONDAY EVENING next, 30th instant, are requested to meet at Brother R. BALLS', 165, York-street, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 7 o'clock sharp, on urgent business.
W. H. KINGSTON, Chairman.
ROBERT BALLS, Treasurer.

LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION.—GRAND LODGE.—The adjourned MEETING of the above Lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, Clarence-street entrance, THIS (Monday) NIGHT, at 8.
W. H. DAVIES, Gr. Secretary.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ST. JOHN'S, DARLINGHURST, AUXILIARY TO THE CHURCH SOCIETY.—The Annual MEETING will be held in the Schoolhouse, Darlinghurst, THIS EVENING, the 23rd instant, at 8 o'clock. The chair will be taken by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Sydney, who will address the meeting, as will also the Rev. Canon Smith and other representatives of the Parent Society.
Ladies are particularly requested to attend.
H. EDWARD A. ALLAN, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

CALLS ON SHARES.

CUMBERLAND GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
The 4th CALL of 1s per share has been made payable at the office of the Company, 267, George-street, on or before the 1st proximo.
THOMAS HILES, Manager.
Sydney, September 18, 1872.

STANDARD GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
Shareholders are informed that the Directors have made a CALL of one shilling on each of the contributing shares in the above Company, payable at the office of the Company, 3, Spring-street, on or before the 30th day of September instant.
By order of the Board,
GILCHRIST and WESTON, Managers.

CROWN PRINCE GOLD MINING CO. (Limited)
The 2nd CALL of 1s per share has been made payable at the Office of the Company, 267, George-street, on or before the 10th proximo.
THOMAS HILES, Manager.
Sydney, September 20, 1872.

LADY BELMORE GOLD MINING COMPANY. Limited, Hill End.
TO THE SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a Call has this day been made of 1s. (One Shilling) per share in the capital stock of the above company, payable at the office of the Company, 362, Lloyd's Chambers, George-street, Sydney, on or before TUESDAY, the 1st October, 1872.
By order of the Board,
E. N. EMMETT, Manager.
362, Lloyd's Chambers, George-street, Sydney.
September 19, 1872.

BALMAIN CO-OPERATIVE STEAM FERRY CO. (Limited).
Shareholders who have not paid their Deposit of 2s 6d per share are requested to do so at once, in order that the Company may be declared formed. Receipts on the Company's printed forms will be given by the Collectors, Messrs. RICHARD and JOHN HUNT, and Mr. FENTON, Senr. Mr. WM. MARSHALL, Mr. SAWYER, and the undersigned will also receive money on account of the Company.
JOHN E. MANNING, Hon. Sec.

LITTLE DORRIT GOLD MINING CO. (Limited).
A Second CALL of threepence (3d) per share is made payable at the office of the Company on or before SATURDAY, 21st instant.
JOHN T. HOBBS, Manager.

HILL END GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
A CALL has been made of one shilling per share on all contributing shares in this Company, payable at the Office of the Company, No. 303, George-street, on or before TUESDAY, the first day of October proximo.
By order of the Board,
G. A. RUSSELL, Manager.
Sydney, 12th September, 1872.

MARYLAND RUBY TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Directors in pursuance of the Deed of Settlement, have made a CALL of Two Shillings on each of the contributing shares, payable at the office of the Company, 6, Spring-street, on or before MONDAY, the 23rd day of September instant.
By order of the Board,
GILCHRIST and WESTON, Managers.

JOHNSON'S GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
A CALL has been made of SIXPENCE per Share on all shares in this Company, payable at the office of the Company, No. 303, George-street, on or before TUESDAY, the FIRST day of OCTOBER proximo.
By order of the Board,
G. A. RUSSELL, Manager.
Sydney, 12th September, 1872.

CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
The Directors of this Company hereby give notice, that a CALL of one pound on each share, for the purpose of making necessary repairs, has been determined upon by the Board, under the power given by the 10th clause of the Deed of Settlement, and that such call is to be paid at the Company's Office, Sussex-street, Sydney, on or before the 25th day of November next.
By order of the Board,
WM. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Sussex-street, Sydney, August 19, 1872.

GREAT EXHIBITION GOLD M. C.—A CALL of one penny per share on all contributing shares is payable at my office, 323, George-street, on or before 1st October.
THOMAS G. CROFT.

THE BELLE OF WATTLE FLAT G. M. C.—A CALL of sixpence per share on all contributing shares has been made payable at my office, 323, George-street, on or before WEDNESDAY, 9th October.
THOMAS G. CROFT.

FORTUNA GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited), GOLDEN GULLY.
The First CALL of 1s. per share is payable at my Office on or before TUESDAY, the 1st October.
J. C. NEILD, Jun., Legal Manager, 227, George-street.

OBERON DIAMOND AND GOLD SLUICING COMPANY (Limited).
The undersigned having been appointed Legal Manager of the above Company, Promoters are requested to call and pay to him the amounts respectively due upon their shares on or before WEDNESDAY, 25th instant.
EDWARD L. HITCHINS, Legal Manager.
Office of the Company—227, George-street, Sydney.
21st September, 1872.

THE TAMBAROORA AND LOUISA UNITED QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (Limited).
This is to give Notice that the Fourth and last CALL of sixpence per share will be due and payable at the Office of the Company, No. 14, Spring-street, on or before TUESDAY, the 1st October next.
By order of the Board of Directors,
J. LIPPMANN, Legal Manager.

LOST AND FOUND.

CHEQUE LOST, drawn by Edward Bailey; payment stopped. Reward at 402, Elizabeth-st., Haymarket.

LOST, a small Blue PIGEON, ruffled breast. Reward at Mr. PEMELL'S, opposite Railway Station.

LOST, a Hen CARRIER PIGEON. Reward at Mr. PEMELL'S, opposite Railway Station.

LOST, from Balmain steamer, Child's HAT, blue trimming. Reward. Adolphus-street Ferry.

LOST, a Parcel of EMBROIDERY, and Pattern in zinc. Reward at Mr. O'Connell's, Walker-st., Redfern.

LOST, on Friday night, September 20, between George and William streets, a lady's BOW and ENDS of black silk dress. Finder rewarded by leaving same at PIERCE'S, News Agent, William-street.

LOST, a black sprinkle-breasted hen TUMBLER PIGEON. If not brought to 534, Bourke-street, Surry Hills, after this date, the person will be prosecuted, as he is known.

LOST, a Gold LOCKET, with Lady's likeness inside, part of chain attached, between Dawes' Point and Royal Hotel, or King-street. Reward, JOSEPH DOLE, Ironmonger, 389, George-street.

FOUND, a sum of MONEY, on Saturday, the 14th instant. The owner can have the same by giving a description, and paying expenses of this advertisement. Apply to Mr. MOCLAIR'S Grocery Establishment, corner of Hay and Harbour streets.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, on Thursday night, between College-street and the Victoria Theatre, a small Silver and Blue Enammelled Binocular OPERA GLASS. Whoever will bring the above to Dr. MILFORD, Dynevor-terrace, College-street, will receive the above reward.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—The finder of a small BOX, containing pins, &c., lost on Friday night, will receive the above reward on delivering it to Mrs. MERRICK, Grocer, Victoria and Liverpool streets, Darlinghurst.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
In the matter of the Insolvent Estate of JOHN HEFFERNAN, of Inverell, Farmer, No. 11,009.
Whereas at the adjourned third Meeting of Creditors duly held in Sydney, on the twenty-third (23rd) day of August instant, before his Honor the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, an offer was made to pay ten shillings (10s) in the £, by way of composition in this estate, which said offer was then accepted.
Now I, JOHN PIPER MACKENZIE, Official Assignee of the said Insolvent Estate, do in pursuance of the Act of Council in such cases made and provided, hereby call a Special General MEETING of the Creditors of the said estate, to be holden at my office, on MONDAY, the fourteenth (14th) day of October next ensuing, at the hour of three (3) o'clock in the afternoon prompt, for the purpose of confirming or rejecting the aforesaid offer of composition, or any amended offer that may be then made by insolvent, or any one on his behalf.
Dated at Sydney, this twenty-seventh (27th) day of August, 1872.
JOHN PIPER MACKENZIE, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Between SIMON MOSS plaintiff; and CHARLES COX, defendant.
WHEREAS an action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the abovenamed Simon Moss, or against the abovenamed Charles Cox, to recover one thousand pounds damages which the plaintiff has suffered in consequence of the defendant's breach of a covenant to insure, contained in a lease dated the 24th September, 1868, between the plaintiff of the one part, and the said defendant of the other part: And it being alleged that the said Charles Cox does not reside within this colony or its dependencies, a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the eighteenth day of October next, wherein the Australian Joint Stock Bank and VINCENT WANOSTROCHT GIBLIN, General Manager of the said Bank at Sydney; JAMES MACGREGOR, the younger, Manager of the said Bank at Hay; and THOMAS EDWARD GILES BLEWITT, of Hay, Storekeeper, are respectively the garnishees. Notice is hereby given thereof, and if at any time before final judgment in this action, the said Charles Cox (or any person on his behalf) will give the security and notice and file the appearance and plea required by the Act, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to actions against persons absent from the colony, and against persons sued as joint contractors," the attachment may be dissolved.
Dated this twentieth day of September, 1872.
THOMAS ROBERTSON, Plaintiff's Attorney, Deniliquin; by M'CARTHY, SON, and DONOVAN, his agents, Pitt-street North, Sydney.

IN INSOLVENCY.—An ACCOUNT CURRENT and PLAN of DISTRIBUTION, shewing a dividend of 4s 2 291-3764 in the £, on Concurrent Proofs, and a Preferent Proof in full, in the Estate of MICHAEL WILLIAM KELLY (No. 10,860) are filed in the Registrar's office, at the Insolvent Court, King-street, Sydney, and will be confirmed by the Court on application, by the Official Assignee, on THURSDAY, the third day of October, 1872, at Eleven o'clock forenoon. ROBERT HAMILTON SEMPILL, Official Assignee.

WOOL.—The undersigned are purchasers, or will advance on consignments to their friends, DANGAR, GRANT, and CO., Fenchurch-street, London.
All Wools forwarded through us are examined by Mr. Grant, and sold under his personal supervision, and are not left to be dealt with by brokers in the way that late correspondence on the subject would lead producers to believe.
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO., Macquarie-place.

MORT AND CO., CIRCULAR QUAY, SYDNEY.
WOOL BROKERS,
LIVE STOCK AND STATION AGENTS,
SHEEP AND CATTLE SALESMEN.
LIBERAL ADVANCES on WOOL, SHEEPSKINS, TALLOW, HIDES, LEATHER, TIN and other MINERAL ORES, and any other Colonial Produce consigned to them for Sale in Sydney, or for Shipment to their Agents, Messrs. W. MORT and CO., London.

CAUTION.
In the matter of WOLFE'S AROMATIC SCHNAPPS.
Registered under the Trade Marks Act, 28 Vic. 9.
It having come to our knowledge that, owing to the large and increasing demand for this article, a spurious imitation has been lately imported into this market, WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that we are prepared to take legal proceedings under the above cited Act, against any person or persons procuring, selling, or exposing for sale such counterfeit.
M. MOSS and CO., Sole Agents.

SYDNEY RAGGED SCHOOLS.
ESTABLISHED 12 YEARS.
THE COMMITTEE OF THE SYDNEY RAGGED SCHOOLS,
being compelled to deliver up the premises in Sussex-street, now occupied as a school, and having been unable to procure suitable accommodation, have secured a piece of land in the immediate vicinity of the present school, and intend to build at once a commodious School-room, tenders for which have been accepted, and they now earnestly and confidently appeal to the public for £350 to enable them to complete the building without trenching in any way upon the limited resources of the Institution.
Hundreds of children have passed through these schools, and many are now occupying useful positions in society, who would in all probability—had not these schools been available—have grown up in utter ignorance and vice.
The number of children on roll on 1st September .. 361
The average daily attendance during last month—irrespective of Sunday-schools 187
Contributions will please be forwarded to the undersigned.
JOHN FAIRFAX, Hon. Treasurer, HERALD Office.
J. S. HARRISON, Hon. Sec., 267, George-street.

TIN.—We have made arrangements for the Shipment of Tin and Tin Ore on account of several of the mining companies, to the consignment of our friends in London, Messrs. H. G. Ashhurst and Co., Fenchurch-street, and will be glad to undertake the same business for others. We have shipped and are shipping considerable quantities. We will make liberal CASH ADVANCES on shipment, either here or in Brisbane, on favourable terms.
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO., Sydney.
Agents for—
The Ruby Tin Mining Company
Ruby Creek ditto ditto
Glen Innes ditto ditto
Glen Lodo ditto ditto
Champion ditto ditto
Hand and Band ditto ditto.

TIN ORE.—The undersigned is prepared to receive for shipment to London Consignments of the above, and to make liberal advances.
GEORGE R. DIBBS, 131, Pitt-street.

THE BURWOOD Smelting Works are open to purchase COPPER ORE in any quantity.
J. B. HAMILTON, Secretary,
8, Belmore-chambers, 247, George-street.

HICKSON, CREIGHTON, and BEARD'S AMALGAMATED G. M. CO. (Limited).
A DIVIDEND of 1s per share has been made payable on and after TUESDAY, the 24th instant, at the Office of the Company, 267, George-street. Shareholders will please present scrip. No transfers of scrip can be made until after that date. THOMAS HILES, Official Manager.
Sydney, September 20, 1872.

GRENFELL CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
A Second DIVIDEND of one shilling per share on all shares in this Company has been declared by the Board, and will be payable on and after TUESDAY, 24th instant, at the office of the Company, 183, Pitt-street.
JOHN J. WOOD, Manager.
September 20, 1872.

TO BE disposed of by Art Union, that magnificent and favourite Oil Painting in the Melbourne Art Gallery, The Dancing Girl Before the Spanish Inquisition, by 120 subscribers at one guinea. On view at Messrs. TURNER and WOOD'S window, 349, George-street. Drawing to take place on the 1st OCTOBER next.

NOTICE.—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my Wife, ELLEN CLARE (maiden name Ellen Moran) after this date. September 21.
(Signed) ALBERT CLARE.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—The Offices of the undermentioned Gold Companies have, THIS DAY, REMOVED to 2nd floor, Bank-chambers, corner of George and King streets.
Monte Christo
Le Frey
No. 1 Independent, Tambaroora
Star of the West, Wyagdon.
JOHN HURLEY, Manager.
September 23, 1872.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE
TO GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, and FURNITURE DEALERS.
The whole of the VERY SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, STERLING SILVER PLATE, &c., &c., for sale at the premises, No. 235½, Macquarie-street North, opposite the Sydney Infirmary, on TUESDAY next, 24th instant, at 11 a.m., will be open to PUBLIC INSPECTION, THIS DAY, Monday, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB, Auctioneers, Pitt and O'Connell streets.
Catalogues can be obtained at the Rooms.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, trading under the style or firm of "J. and W. O. WINDEYER," in the business of Graziers, in the Lachlan District, colony of New South Wales, was on and from the twenty-fourth day of August last DISSOLVED by mutual consent. AND NOTICE is hereby further given that all moneys due to and by the late firm will be respectively received and discharged by Walter Orton Windeyer, who will continue to carry on the said business in his name and on his own account. Dated, at Sydney, this twenty-first day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.
J. WINDEYER.
WALTER O. WINDEYER.
Witness to the signatures hereof—
H. D. MADDOCK, Clerk to Messrs. Want and Johnson, solicitors, Sydney.

NOTICE.—In consequence of the advance in the price of Cedar and Pine Logs, and other articles used in the trade, we, the undersigned timber merchants, have been compelled to revise our price lists from this date, copies of which may be seen at our respective offices.
JOHN BOOTH and CO.
R. CHADWICK.
HUDSON BROS.
E. SMITH and CO.
SEAMER and ROBERTSON.
A. BURNS.
W. BEAUMONT.
S. BALDICK.
September 21st, 1872.

NOTICE.—All persons having any CLAIMS against the Estate of Mrs. JEAN MALCOLM, late of Campbell-street, Sydney, widow, are requested to send particulars to the executors under cover to
HOLDSWORTH and BROWN, 69, Pitt-street, Sydney.
September 21.

VICTORIA by the grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, and so forth.
To the Widow (if any) and next of kin of DENIS MURPHY, late of the Willow Tree, near Murrurundi, in the colony of New South Wales, Toll-collector, deceased,
Greeting—
Whereas it has been represented to us in our Supreme Court of New South Wales that the above-named Denis Murphy died on or about the fifth day of March last, having at the time of his death goods, chattels, and credits in the said colony, we do therefore hereby peremptorily cite you and each of you to appear personally, or by your Proctor, before our said Court, at the Supreme Court-house, in King-street, Sydney, on the second day of October next, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and there to abide, if occasion should require, during the sitting of the said Court, and then and there to accept or refuse Letters of Administration of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased, or otherwise to show sufficient cause, if you or either of you have or know any, why the same should not be committed to TIMOTHY MURPHY, of the Willow Tree aforesaid, Contractor, a creditor of the said deceased.
Witness the Honorable Sir ALFRED STEPHEN, Knight Companion of the Bath, the Chief Justice of our said Supreme Court at Sydney, the nineteenth day of September, in the thirty-sixth year of our reign.
(L.S.) D. B. HUTCHINSON, Prothonotary.
JOSEPH PALMER ABBOTT, Proctor for the said Timothy Murphy, Murrurundi, by RICHARD YEOMANS, his agent, 267, George-street, Sydney.

THE DALMORTON QUARTZ MINING COMPANY.—NOTICE.—This Company having been reconstructed upon a sound basis, under competent advice, Shareholders who have not yet signed the document of agreement are requested to call at once and do so, in order that the objects of the Company may be energetically proceeded with.
THOS. G. CROFT, 323, George-street.

KOH-I-NOOR GOLD MINING CO. (Limited).—Shareholders are informed that SCRIP is now ready, and may be had on payment of call and signing Deed of Settlement.
SAMUEL SYMONDS, Manager, Greville's Rooms.

TO CORRESPONDENTS and others.—Correspondents will please note that my Office is still at 183, Pitt-street, Sydney.
THOMAS CADELL.

RICHARD GIBSON and CO., Sheep and Cattle Salesmen, 66, Queen-street, Melbourne.
Account sales rendered and proceeds paid in cash the day after sale. Commission, 3½ per cent. on fat stock; same rate for store stock, less bank discount.
COUNTRY REPRESENTATIVES:
A. ROSS and CO., Bourke
TAIT and MURPHY, Dubbo
JAMES MANN, Deniliquin
WILKINSON, HANN, and CO., Wagga Wagga
CHARLES ST. BAKER, Forbes
JOHN CRAMSIE and CO., Euston and Balranald.

WATSON'S BAY.
ROYAL MAIL COACH leaves Post Office, Sydney, 9.30 a.m., and 5 daily. Fare, 1s.

BLACKWALL STORES, CIRCULAR QUAY.
NOTICE.
TO SHIPPERS OF WOOL AND COTTON.
The undersigned begs to inform the above that he WILL NOT receive wool or Cotton at the above Stores after 5 o'clock, and on Saturdays not after 1 o'clock p.m.
EDWARD FLOOD.
September 22, 1872.

NOTICE
TO SHIPPERS OF WOOL, COTTON, &c.
The undersigned beg to inform the above that they WILL NOT receive wool or cotton at their stores after 5 o'clock; and on Saturdays not later than 1 p.m.
TALBOT and SON, Wool Stores, Circular Quay.
September 23, 1872.

EDUCATIONAL.

AUSTRALIAN Writing Institution, 726, George-st. Book-keeping made easy. Mechanical drawing.

A GOOD HANDWRITING or Bookkeeping guaranteed to Ladies or Gentlemen of any age in a few LESSONS. Mr. NORRIS, Writing-master, 241, Castlereagh-street, near Market-street. Established 1861.

BAD WRITING improved in four lessons, or money returned. Mr. NORRIS, 241, Castlereagh-street.

BALMORAL HOUSE, BALMAIN.—Young Ladies' EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENT, conducted by Mrs. CHILCOTT. Vacancies for two boarders. Efficient Professors attend daily.

EDUCATION, £8 8s per Quarter. The Principal of a long established Boarding School for boys, near Sydney, has vacancies for one or two pupils on the above terms.
A good education guaranteed, with every domestic comfort and care. The situation is very pleasant and extremely healthy. Address Education, Lee's, South Head Road.

SYDNEY HEBREW DENOMINATIONAL SCHOOL.—The Annual Examination and distribution of Prizes will take place at the Temperance Hall, on THURSDAY EVENING, 26th instant, at which the parents of the children and the public are especially invited.
SOLOMON LEVY, Hon. Secretary.

THE MOST LIBERAL COPPER VENTURE now in the market is the PRIDE OF THE WEST, near Carcoar. Capital, only £10,000 in 10s shares; application 1s. Proprietors take in cash and shares only about one-third, and bind themselves not to sell shares until dividend. Cheap mining, as lodes can be worked by tunnel. SMELTING WORKS within 15 miles. Property to be inspected and approved before payment. Specimens and prospectuses at
J. W. WATKIN'S, 143, Pitt-street.

HYDRAULIC SLUICING CO., Frederick's Valley, near Ophir.—SMALL CAPITAL required, BACK CUT for SIX MILES with SIX MILES beyond full of auriferous ground giving an average return of 2 dwts. to the load. Shares are being rapidly taken up.
JOHN T. HOBBS, 360, George-street.

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CAMPERDOWN CEMETERY.

The proprietors of the above Cemetery, on its being closed by Act of Parliament, made it over to the Bishop of Sydney as a site for a church for the parish of St. Stephen, Newtown, on the condition that the parish should covenant to keep the ground in order, and preserve the graves and monuments from desecration. This the parish has consented to, and the land has been transferred to trustees, who have commenced the erection of a church worthy of such a site; but as it is impossible to collect the necessary amount in the parish, and the friends of the dead interred therein have a great interest in maintaining the ground in good order, it has been determined that an appeal shall be made to them for assistance in completing the undertaking. A comparatively small sum from each will accomplish the object. The church is estimated to cost EIGHT THOUSAND POUNDS, half of which sum has already been promised; and the walls of the edifice are now rising, and are well worth the inspection of all who are interested in the work.

Subscribers of £10 and upwards will be permitted to erect memorial windows in the church to their deceased friends.

Subscriptions will be thankfully received by the Rev. ROBERT TAYLOR, Newtown, or by the undersigned.

W. G. SEDGWICK,
THOS. C. BREILLAT,
C. ROLLESTON,
S. C. BROWN,
WM. CRANE, } Trustees.

ST. STEPHEN'S, NEWTOWN.

The members of the Church of England resident in the parish of St. Stephen are estimated at about 3000 souls. They are for the most part of the labouring and poorer classes. The present Church accommodation is of a temporary character, and is quite insufficient to meet the wants of the parishioners. Hence a large number of the poorer members of the Church, and the whole of the 600 Sunday-school children, are practically excluded from the Sunday services. To supply this deficiency a new and more commodious building is in process of erection in the "CAMPERDOWN CEMETERY," in which it has been determined that one-half of the sittings shall be FREE and UNAPPROPRIATED. The walls are up 17 feet, and the Building Committee are anxious to proceed with the next contract, which is to complete the walls and put on the roof, but are hindered by want of funds; they therefore appeal to their fellow-churchmen in the colony, AND ESPECIALLY TO THOSE WHO HAVE FRIENDS OR RELATIONS INTERRED WITHIN THE CAMPERDOWN CEMETERY, for assistance in carrying out this great work.

The following contributions have been already subscribed, and are gratefully acknowledged.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
C. Rolleston ..	200	0	0	Rev. John Pendrill	6	6	0
Daniel Williams..	200	0	0	Mrs. Major Darvall	5	0	0
Mrs. Frances Bennett ..	200	0	0	Pocket money ..	5	0	0
Rev. Robert Taylor	100	0	0	H. C. Brookes ..	5	0	0
In Memoriam ..	100	0	0	Mr. James Smith	5	0	0
John Fairweather	100	0	0	Mr. R. Thompson	5	0	0
M. Metcalfe ..	100	0	0	Mr. Thomas Lincoln ..	5	0	0
Mrs. Metcalfe ..	50	0	0	Mr. E. Scanlon, sen. ..	5	0	0
W. G. Sedgwick..	100	0	0	Mr. T. Humphries	5	0	0
Hon. John Campbell ..	100	0	0	Mrs. Coates ..	5	5	0
J. F. Josephson..	100	0	0	John Coates ..	5	5	0
Thomas Barker ..	100	0	0	Mrs Girard ..	5	0	0
Miss Garrett ..	75	0	0	Mr. E. Arnold ..	5	0	0
Miss S. Garrett ..	75	0	0	Mr. Thomas Moon	5	0	0
S. C. Brown ..	75	0	0	Mr. Yeomans ..	5	0	0
Mrs. Brown ..	35	0	0	Mr. George Davison ..	5	0	0
Bishop of Sydney	50	0	0	Mr. Alfred Bedford	5	0	0
W. Crane ..	50	0	0	Captain McLerie..	5	0	0
Mrs. Hodges ..	50	0	0	Alexander McLerie	5	0	0
Hon. Chas. Campbell ..	50	0	0	Mrs. Burtoft ..	5	0	0
Miss Donnithorne	50	0	0	Mr. Newell ..	5	0	0
Mr. Henry Vickers	50	0	0	Mr. T. Tuft ..	5	0	0
Ditto (for bells) ..	10	0	0	Mr. M. Earl ..	5	0	0
Mr. R. Allan ..	50	0	0	Mr. T. Munro ..	5	0	0
Mrs M. R. Allan	20	0	0	Mr. Lewis Moore, jun. ..	5	0	0
Mrs Little ..	50	0	0	Mr. Spalding ..	5	0	0
Mrs J. T. Harrison	50	0	0	Mr. R. Brickwood	5	0	0
J. B. Treeve ..	50	0	0	Mr. John Mitchell	5	0	0
John Brewster ..	50	0	0	R. T. Newell ..	5	0	0
Hon. R. Prince ..	50	0	0	Mr. Bland ..	5	0	0
Miss M. Garrett..	35	0	0	Mr. J. Mawbey ..	5	0	0
Mr. Albery ..	31	10	0	Mr. Henry Holland	5	0	0
Mr. Enoch Fowler	30	0	0	Mr. Henry Lawrence.. ..	5	0	0
Mr. William Curtis	27	2	0	Mr T. W. Johnson	5	0	0
Mrs. Cripps ..	30	0	0	Mr. Dodge ..	5	0	0
Mrs. M. Chisholm	25	0	0	A. L. Park ..	5	5	0
E. Chisholm ..	25	0	0	A. Humphreys ..	5	5	0
Mrs. Barrett ..	25	0	0	Mr. R. W. Guille	5	0	0
Captain Evans ..	25	0	0	Mrs. G. Rowley..	5	0	0
Mr. W. Crane, jun.	25	0	0	Mr and Mrs John Long.. ..	5	0	0
Miss Crane ..	25	0	0	Dr. Fortescue ..	5	0	0
Thomas Baker ..	25	0	0	M. E. Mursin ..	5	2	0
Mr. Stephen Baldick ..	25	0	0	Mrs. Flanagan ..	5	0	0
Mrs. Baldick ..	5	0	0	Mr. T. Partridge	5	0	0
R. C. Murray ..	25	0	0	Mr. A. W. Farnsworth ..	5	0	0
Mr. F. M. Kern ..	25	0	0	Mr. Bye ..	5	0	0
Mr. Wm. M. Kern	25	0	0	Mrs. C. A. Newman ..	5	0	0
Mr. J. A. Bryant	25	0	0	J. B. Metcalfe ..	5	0	0
W. J. Foster ..	25	0	0	Mrs. Frost ..	5	0	0
Mr. Alfred Davis	25	0	0	J. G. Cohen ..	5	0	0
Mr. William Baldick ..	25	0	0	Mrs. F. R. Kemp	5	0	0
Mr. H. B. Vaughan	25	0	0	D. H. Campbell..	5	5	0
Mr. Robert Fowler	25	0	0	Mr. George Ross	5	5	0
Mr. T. Thompson	25	0	0	Archibald Thompson ..	5	0	0
Alexander Stuart	25	0	0	M. H. Stephen ..	5	0	0
Gordon Sandeman	25	0	0	Mr. William Wyatt	4	0	0
William Toogood	25	0	0	Mr. Sellers, sen...	3	0	0
Samuel Toogood..	25	0	0	W. Humphreys ..	3	3	0
Miss Amy Toogood ..	25	0	0	Mrs. Charles Kemp	3	3	0
Miss Fanny Toogood ..	25	0	0	Mr. Ware ..	2	12	6
R. J. Rawsthorne ..	21	0	0	Mr. Kilborn ..	2	10	0
Mrs. Rawsthorne	10	10	0	Mr. H. W. Williams	2	12	6
H. R. Smith ..	20	0	0	Mr. Hartwell ..	2	10	0
F. J. Humphreys	21	0	0	Mr. Edward Smith	2	10	0
A Friend ..	20	0	0	G. B. Hirst ..	2	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. May	20	0	0	Rev. E. M. Salinière	2	2	0
Rev. William Scott	20	0	0	Rev. Canon Smith	2	2	0
Charles Sampson	20	0	0	Thomas McCulloch	2	2	0
Miss Martin ..	20	0	0	Mr. Chard ..	2	0	0
Mr. Hamblin ..	20	0	0	St. Paul's College Offertory ..	2	0	0
Mrs. Corkhill ..	20	0	0				
John Dawson ..	20	0	0	Mr. Renwick ..	2	0	0
Mr. Jentsch ..	20	0	0	A Friend ..	2	0	0
Mr. J. A. Plummer	20	0	0	John Flavelle ..	2	2	0
Rev. W. H. Roberts ..	20	0	0	Mr. John Brush..	2	2	0
Mr. George Rossiter ..	20	0	0	Mrs. Sea ..	2	0	0
Mr. Joseph Davis	20	0	0	Mr. William Farmer ..	2	2	0
Mrs Griffiths ..	20	0	0	Mr. James Green	2	0	0
				Theodore Jaques	2	2	0
Mr. T. O. M. Willy ..	15	0	0	Lady Denison ..	2	2	0
Mr. W. J. Jordan	15	0	0	Mr. Thomas Moore	2	0	0
Mr. Ross ..	12	10	0	Mr. William Reeve	2	0	0
Mr. Clarke ..	10	10	0	Mr. C. Kinsela ..	2	2	0
George Evans ..	10	10	0	Mr. H. De Josselin	1	1	0
Alfred Nathan ..	10	10	0	Mr. Bowden ..	1	1	0
				Gerard Herring ..	1	1	0
Mr. William Wilson ..	10	0	0	Mr. Bullard ..	1	1	0
Mrs. Day ..	10	0	0	C. J. Fache ..	1	1	0
Mr. Edgar Hilder	10	0	0	Messrs. R. Stubbs and Co. ..	1	1	0
Mr. William Wotton ..	10	0	0	Mr. John Williams	1	1	0
Mr. Morris Upton	10	0	0	Mr. A. Bastable..	1	0	0
Mrs. Bolger ..	10	0	0	Mr. Turtle ..	1	0	0
Mr. Brook Howe	10	0	0	Mr. John Allen ..	1	0	0
Mr. G. W. Morgan	10	0	0	Mr. Sellors ..	1	0	0
Henry E. Jones..	10	0	0	Mr. W. R. Hartley	1	0	0
Hon. T. W. Smart	10	0	0	Mr. John Culbert	1	0	0
J. S. Dowling ..	10	0	0	Mrs. Richard Stubbs	1	0	0
				Mr. R. W. Newell	1	0	0
Mr. Benjamin Johnson ..	10	0	0	Mr. Holloway ..	1	0	0
Mr. R. Beckett ..	10	0	0	Mr. Stewart ..	1	0	0
Mr. John Wilson	10	0	0	Mr. Parkinson ..	1	0	0
F. A. Stratford ..	10	0	0	Mr. T. Garton ..	1	0	0
Mr. Ware, sen. ..	10	0	0	Mr. Robert Redd	1	0	0
Hon. Mrs. Hope..	10	0	0	Mr. Robert Jervis	1	0	0
Mrs. Aspinall ..	10	0	0	Mr. William Carter	1	0	0
Frank Barker ..	10	0	0	Mr. Moseley ..	1	0	0
F. H. Dangar ..	10	0	0	Mr. W. Minter ..	1	0	0
Mr. H. L. Roberts	10	0	0	Mr. Staff ..	1	0	0
Rev. C. Baber ..	10	0	0	Mr. T. Lusby ..	1	0	0
Mrs. Porter ..	10	0	0	Mr. John Barker	1	0	0
John Moore ..	10	0	0	Mr. Long ..	1	0	0
Mrs Robertson ..	10	0	0	Mr. J. H. Drake ..	1	0	0
Mrs. Mary Ogilvie	10	0	0	Mrs. Harris ..	1	0	0
Mr. Albon ..	7	10	0	Mr. Lincoln, sen..	1	0	0
Mr. S. Watson ..	6	0	0	Mr. W. C. Fallick	1	0	0
Dr O'Reilly ..	5	5	0	Sums under £1, amounting to ..	5	4	4
Mrs. Collier ..	5	5	0				

Collections made by Miss Taylor, Mrs. S. C. Brown, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. Vickers, Miss Evans, Mrs. Smith, Mr. Rawsthorne, Miss Kosten, Mrs. Hodges, Mr. Murray, Miss Coates, Miss S. Garrett, and Mr. Watson, amounting to £65 5 0

ANONYMOUS BENEFACTIONS.

LEGAL EXPENSES connected with the transfer of the Cemetery 135 16 6
Pulpit, Font, and Reading Desk, value .. 150 0 0

Additional subscriptions will be thankfully received by any member of the Committee, or by the undersigned.

ROBERT TAYLOR, Incumbent.

St. Stephens, 5th September, 1872.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an application is intended to be made to the Parliament of New South Wales, during the next ensuing session thereof, for and on behalf of THE NEW SOUTH WALES SHALE AND OIL COMPANY, for leave to bring in a Private Bill to incorporate the said Company, to enable the same to have and use a common seal, to hold lands, to sue and be sued in the name of the said Company, and to confer on the said Company such usual provisions as may be necessary or desirable for the carrying on of the business of the said Company.

Dated this twentieth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

WANT and JOHNSON, Solicitors for the Bill.

BOROUGH COUNCIL NOTICES.

BOROUGH OF CAMPERDOWN.

DISTRESS WARRANTS will be issued, and other legal proceedings taken, for the recovery of Rates left unpaid after 1st October next.

By order of the Mayor,
W. PIDCOCK, Council Clerk.
Council Chambers, Camperdown, 21st September, 1872.

ABSTRACT OF THE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE of the BOROUGH of PADDINGTON, from 6th February to 5th August, 1872:—

DR.

To cash on hand 6th February				£28	4	0
Blue metal				96	4	0
Rates				429	0	0
Government endowment				119	16	10
Summonses refunded				3	4	6
Subscriptions—road trust ..	£10	0	0			
Ditto, J. Dingle	2	0	0			
				12	0	0
Fines W. P. Office				4	10	3
Balance, Bank of New South Wales, 5th August ..	432	0	3			
Outstanding cheque, No. 3 0	12	7	0			
Balance owing to gas account	0	2	6			
	445	9	9			
Less amount paid on account of gas account ..	50	0	0			
				395	9	9
				£1088	19	4

CR.

By overdraft Bank N. S. Wales, 6th February				£44	11	0
General expenses and salaries ..				168	8	3
Interest account—						
Debentures, 8 per cent on £1300	£52	0	0			
Gas Company, on account owing	22	0	2			
Bank N. S. Wales ..	2	16	10			
				76	17	0
Works—Upper Ward ..	306	5	4			
Lower Ward ..	191	12	6			
Glenmore Ward ..	171	6	10			
				669	4	8
Amount refunded to gas account ..				93	6	2
Cash on hand 5th August				36	12	3
				£1088	19	4

SPECIAL LIGHTING RATE ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance forward 6th February	£93	6	2
Rate to 5th August	173	14	0
	£267	0	2

CR.

By Gas Company	£197	15	4
Balance	69	4	10
	£267	0	2

I certify the above account to be correct, and to correspond with the books of account and vouchers, or other documents in the possession of the Borough of Paddington.

FERGUS MACLEAN, Mayor.

We certify that all the books of account, vouchers, or other documents in support thereof, in the possession or power of the Borough of Paddington, have been exhibited to us; that the foregoing statement corresponds with such books of account, vouchers, or other documents, and that the foregoing is correct.

THOS. COWLISHAW, } Auditors.
H. G. NICHOLLS,

BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that legal proceedings will be taken for the recovery, with costs, of all Rates which are not paid on or before MONDAY, the 30th instant.

By order of the Mayor,
ROBERT N. BANKS, Council Clerk.
Newtown, 21st September, 1872.

TENDERS.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received until the 2nd October, for the erection of a Villa at the Glebe. Plans and specification, with the Architect, F. H. REUSS, 142, Pitt-street.

TENDERS will be received until the 30th instant, by the City Iron Works Co., for the erection of a SEA WALL. Specification can be seen at the Company's Office, Pyrmont.

THOMAS M. BROWN, Manager.
Pyrmont, 18th September, 1872.

BOROUGH OF PARRAMATTA.—NOTICE is hereby given, that further TENDERS for the loan of £1500, in sums of not less than £500, will be received at the Borough Council Chambers up to noon on TUESDAY, the 24th instant.

HUGH TAYLOR, Mayor.
Parramatta, 20th September, 1872.

TENDERS for Erection of 2 small Shops in Kent street North. Plan and specifications to be seen at the Offices of Mr. JOSEPH LOWE, 129, King-street, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily.

TENDERS.—TO MEDICAL MEN.—Tenders will received up to the 23rd instant, for MEDICAL ATTENDANCE, required by the members of No. 120, Hope of Camperdown Division Sons of Temperance. Tenderers to state price per each member.

J. J. ASPINALL, R.S., Grose-street, Camperdown.

PEAK DOWNS COPPER MINING COMPANY'S SHARES WANTED.—TENDERS are invited for 2000 and upwards, deliverable in separate lots, now and during the ensuing four months, at the option of the tenderer, which must be stated. The lowest tenders will be accepted for cash. Tenderers must bind themselves to complete on or before TUESDAY, 8th October proximo. Address "Tenders for Peak Downs C. M. Company's Shares, care of P. SHERIDAN, Esq., 183, Pitt-street."

September 21st, 1872.

TENDER wanted for DRAY WORK at per load. Information as to amount of work on application F. Lassetter and Co., 421, George-street.

TENDERS for Carpenters and Joiners for making 6 Front DOORS. Mr. Wenck, Hay-st., op. Brewery.

DRAPERY HABERDASHERY ETC.

LADIES' MADE-UP COSTUMES
LADIES' TOILET and BREAKFAST DRESSES
LADIES' MORNING WRAPPERS.

By the Patriarch we have just landed our importations of LADIES' MADE-UP COSTUMES POLONAISE, and other designs, in
Lawns Grasscloths Martabans
Vernelles Swiss Muslins Piques.
The above are new patterns, and specially worthy of inspection.

DAVID JONES and COMPANY.

LADIES' STRAW HATS
(Shady Shapes).
YOUNG LADIES' and CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS
(the Novelties for the Season).

We have just opened several cases of
PLAIN and FANCY STRAW HATS
LEGHORN SUN SHADES,
which include the choicest style for the season.
The Myrtle The Chatelaine
The Eastbourne The Madrid
The Londesborough The Undine
The Saragossa The Dolly Varden.
The Eva

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SILKS! SILKS!!
Perry, Brothers, for the New Spring Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Fancy Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Japanese Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Plain Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Striped Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Wedding Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Silks in every new shade
Perry, Brothers, for Mourning Silk, every quality
Perry, Brothers, for Black Glacé Silks
Perry, Brothers, for the richest Gro-grained Silk
Perry, Brothers, for the best Corded Silks
Perry, Brothers, for Silks to suit everybody.
PERRY, BROTHERS,
92 and 94, King-street,
have just opened their
NEW SPRING MILLINERY.

THOMPSON'S glove-fitting STAYS, in every size: Stays, in all the improved shapes, 18 inches to 38 inches, 1s 11d to 12s 9d.
First-class goods, lowest prices.
E. WAY, Importer,
263, 265, and 267, Pitt-street.

HOBSON and WHITING have just landed a fresh shipment of Cambric Regatta Shirtings, of exquisite patterns. Hosiery of the finest descriptions. Collars, in all the newest shapes.
13, Hunter-street.

HOBSON and WHITING'S Eureka SHIRTS, 42s the half dozen. For ease, elegance, and durability, they have no rival; a perfect fit guaranteed. Shirts made to order with neatness and dispatch.
13, Hunter-street.

ARMY and NAVY HAIR DYE.—The only dye that can be used with safety. HOBSON and WHITING.

J. Q. CARTER, opposite Royal Hotel, Importers of real LACES, Honiton, Valenciennes, Brussels, &c.

J. Q. CARTER.—Real Lace Sleeves, Collars, Lappets, Berthas, &c.; ribbon and velvet bows, bracelets, &c.

JUST RECEIVED 23 Cases GLASS SHADES, in all shapes and sizes. M. C. BOHRSMANN, Berlin Emporium and Glass Shade Depot, 39, South Head Road. The best selected stock and the cheapest house in the trade.

NEW PRINTS, and OTHER GOODS, DAMAGED BY WATER.

A LARGE PORTION of our NEW GOODS (in prints, &c., being DAMAGED at the LATE FIRE, we intend to offer the same to our patrons and the general public at EXTRAORDINARY PRICES.
Kid gloves, damaged, 6d and 1s pair.
Also, several various lots, more or less damaged.
Sale will commence
THIS DAY, 23rd.
KELK and ALFORD,
417, George-street.

W. C. RENWICK, 86, King street.—Mantles, JACKETS, Polonaises. Very cheap.

W. C. RENWICK, 86, King-street.—Plain alpacas, Figured Alpacas, Lustrine Silk Wool; quite new.

W. C. RENWICK.—Printed Delaines, lustres, camlets, new spring dress materials for 7¾d.

W. C. RENWICK.—Printed Muslins for costumes, new patterns; Batistes, all colours.

W. C. RENWICK.—Gloves, Hosiery, Stays; real Lace, black and white; real Lace Collars.

W. C. RENWICK.—Household Drapery of every description at remarkably low prices.

W. C. RENWICK.—Prints and Cambrics, new patterns, fast colours, only 6¾d yard, very cheap.

W. C. RENWICK, 86, King st.—Fashionable Hats, fashionable Bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed.

GENTLEMANLY APPAREL.
W. HOWES, Tailor, Habit and Robe Maker, 88, King-street,
respectfully submits a list of PRICES for Gentlemen's Clothing, made to order, in the best possible manner:—

Howes' Black Cloth Suits, to order, from ..	£3	10	0
88, King-street.—Melton Suits, to order ..	2	15	0
Howes' Doeskin Suits, to order ..	3	0	0
88, King-street.—Tweed Suits, to order ..	2	10	0
Howes' Black Cloth Paget, to order ..	2	2	0
Howes' Fashionable Tweed Paget, to order ..	1	13	0
88, King-street.—Galatea Coat, to order ..	1	10	0
Howes' Black Trousers, to order, 17s 6d, 20s, 22s 6d, and 25s			
Howes' Tweed Trousers, to order ..	0	15	0
Howes' Fancy West Doe Trousers, to order ..	1	0	0
Howes' Fancy Twist Trousers, to order ..	1	0	0

W. HOWES, Tailor, 88, King-street.

BULLARD'S TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

Well known as the Best and Cheapest in Town.

BULLARD'S Alpaca Frock Coats, 35s
BULLARD'S Merino Frock Coats, 42s
BULLARD'S Crystalline Coats, 21s.

Come and see the New Coat.
BULLARD'S Fancy Angola Trousers, 25s
BULLARD'S Thibet Double-breasted Vests, 21s 6d
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ALL MADE TO MEASURE

Boys' and Youths' Clothing, to order.
THE VERY BEST VALUE IN N. S. WALES.

Boys' Suits, Children's Suits, good and cheap, ready made, or to order.
BULLARD, 360, George-street, Sydney.

AEROPHANE, the purest white, and several colours, 1s 3d, usual price 3s 6d. Leader's, South Head Rd.

CHARTERS TOWERS.—Cheap TENTS at P. ROBILLIARD'S, 573, George street.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

FROM 13TH SEPTEMBER TO 20TH SEPTEMBER.

His Excellency and Lady Robinson, and suite, have this week been absent from Sydney on a visit to the Hunter River district, where the Governor and his party have received a hearty and respectful welcome from the inhabitants of Newcastle, Maitland, and other localities adjacent to those places.

At the late annual meeting of the Camden College, it was found that there was a debt of upwards of £1400 due upon that institution. At a subsequent meeting £1200 was at once subscribed.

It is understood that the Queensland Government have declined to bear any share in the cost of the service to be temporarily established by the three principal colonies of Australia between Port Darwin and Java.

On the 12th instant, in the Town-hall, Redfern, Mr P. Gibson delivered an interesting and instructive lecture on "American Machinery and Implements."

A circular in favour of the separation of "Riverina" has been sent to the principal towns in that part of this colony by the Corowa League.

On the 8th instant, a man, named William Jowsey, was drowned in the river near Grafton.

An important Government notice respecting the "royalty" in gold mines was published in the *Herald* of the 14th instant.

The annual general meeting of the Sydney Ragged Schools was held at the Temperance Hall, on the evening of the 16th instant. A report was read and adopted, and other necessary business transacted.

By the Syren, arriving at Newcastle on the 12th instant, we have learned that the President of Peru has been assassinated, and that there is small-pox at Valparaiso.

A despatch has been received from the Government of Victoria, complaining that the Customs officers of New South Wales stationed along the Murray are charging wharfage rates on cattle crossing from Victoria. This charge is to be discontinued.

The offices of the Inspector of Stock and the charting business of the mineral lease branch have been removed from the Lands Office to premises, nearly opposite to the *Herald* Office, in O'Connell-street.

The wharf labourers, or "lumpers," are reported to be dissatisfied with their wages, and threaten, it is said, to strike.

An aged man, named George Hale, died on the 15th instant, on his way to the hospital.

The remains of the late lamented Mr. M. Consett Stephen were interred at Randwick on the 14th instant.

Mr John Gilfillan, district registrar, who was bitten on the night of the 12th instant, by a small black spider, died from the effects at noon on Sunday last.

The *Queanbeyan Age* states that a young man, named John Donnelly, living at Bungendore, recently caught a codfish in the Deep Creek, which weighed upwards of thirty-two pounds. It measured two feet ten inches in length, and was lined with fat.

At Grenfell, on Saturday last, a miner, named Rice, was killed. A quantity of dirt fell upon him whilst working in a deep shaft at Eureka lead.

A literary and musical entertainment was given by members of the St. Paul's Literary Association, at St. Paul's school, Redfern, on the 11th instant.

A zoological curiosity—bunyip, wombat, or "native bear"—has been lately seen sitting on the rocks near Giant's Cave, not far from Braidwood. Like all such oddities, he proved to be inconveniently shy, and did not wait to be photographed.

The second "Provincial" Synod of the Church of England in New South Wales met for the dispatch of business on the 17th instant. The Synod of the Metropolitan Province (called the General Synod), meets in October.

The Metropolitan Bishop of Sydney held a confirmation service in St. John's Church, Parramatta, on Thursday, the 12th instant.

An interesting account of the most recent geographical expeditions to New Guinea (from the German) appeared in the *Herald* of Monday last.

The Rev. George Sutherland, the newly-appointed minister of St. George's Church, Castlereagh-street, arrived here by the steamer Dandenong, from Melbourne, on Monday last.

The *Shoalhaven News* states that a mine of graphite has been discovered by Messrs. Armstrong, Brothers, about five miles from Bungonia. The lode looks rich, and can be traced for nearly half a mile. It averages about a foot in thickness.

The monthly meeting of the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the Exchange on Monday last, Mr. George King, the chairman, presiding.

The skeleton of a man has been found near the Brown and Pine ridges, in the district of Murrurundi. It is supposed to be all that remains of a man named Henry Taylor.

Bush fires have of late been prevalent near Braidwood.

A shepherd, named Fitzgerald, was drowned in the Duck Creek, near Murrawombie, last Monday week.

The Government have been requested to increase the amount of aid given to the New South Wales Rifle Association.

Mr. G. D. Callen, Bandmaster of the Volunteer Brigade Band, is appointed to an Honorary Lieutenancy in the Volunteer Force.

On Monday last, a deputation, consisting of Messrs. M. Alexander, Ellis Robinson, and Montague Levey, waited upon the Hon. the Colonial Secretary on behalf of the Asylum for the Deaf, the Dumb, and the Blind.

On Saturday, the 14th instant, a man, named Edward Dugdale, a dismissed railway porter, committed suicide by drowning.

The Colonial Treasurer, Mr. W. R. Piddington, has of late been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatic fever.

The Trinity Sunday-school annual excursion took place on the 18th instant, to Clontarf, Middle Harbour.

On the 18th instant, Patrick O'Malley died in the Sydney Infirmary, from injuries accidentally received at a store.

The "Provincial" Synod of the Colony of New South Wales (Anglican) have resolved that some material amendments in the present Church Act are necessary.

A British Vice-Consul, named Mr. John Cruickshank, has been received at Noumea by the local Government.

On Wednesday last, at Albury, a public meeting was held in favour of the separation of "Riverina."

LAW.

VICE-ADMIRALTY COURT.

THE following is the judgment of the Court *in re* the Nevada, upon the question of cargo, as finally settled by their Honors:—

The value of the Badger's cargo was not here originally in question. But, in order to save the expense of a separate suit, its owners and the agents for the Nevada have agreed that the present plaintiffs (the Court under the circumstances not objecting), shall for this purpose be taken to be the owners, equally of the cargo as of the ship; and that the decree in this suit, therefore, shall include specifically the value of the whole, to be assessed by us. We have accordingly considered the question; and, on the documents admitted by both parties as evidence, we find the value of the cargo to be six hundred pounds:—of which sum, with the others above-mentioned, we adjudge payment against the Nevada. It will be necessary, however, to apprehend, in order to give effect to this last adjudication, that the libel should be amended by alleging ownership in the present plaintiffs of the cargo, as well as the vessel—and it may be so amended accordingly.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

SATURDAY.

THE following estates were surrendered:—

Thomas Henry Dawson, of the Civil Service Club, Macquarie-street, Sydney, providore. Liabilities, £890 18s., of which £403 is secured. Assets, £335. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

Elias Negro, of Albury, hotel-keeper, out of business. Liabilities, £1361 9s., of which £1004 is secured. Assets, £52 8s. Mr. Sempill, official assignee.

John Collins, of Jamberoo, farmer. Liabilities, £139 3s. 9d. Assets, £4. Mr. Mackenzie, official assignee.

Duncan Mearns Maitland, of West Maitland, surveyor. Liabilities, £649 1s. 3d. Assets, £94 3s. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

John Martin, of Charlton, Wollombi Brook, farmer. Liabilities, £167 14s. 1d. Assets, £12 10s. Mr. Sempill, official assignee.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Monday, September 23, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Samuel Bowler Redgate, special, for examination of insolvent; Samuel Bowler Redgate, adjourned third from the 18th instant; William Keneven, special, for examination of insolvent.

Monday, September 23, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Robert Hamilton, first and only meeting, at Albury.

Wednesday, September 25, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Snowden M'Burney, first and only meeting; Mary Annie Dutton, first and only meeting; James Roger Lanham, first and only meeting; Robert George Walpole, first and only meeting; Emanuel Humphry Maiden, first and only meeting; John Webb, special, for proof of debt and examination of insolvent, if required; George Francis Mason, special, for proof of debt and examination of insolvent if required; Edward Sennett, adjourned single from the 11th instant; Peter Wolfenden, special, for proof of debt.

Wednesday, September 25, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Henry Cornelius Baker, first and only meeting, at Murrurundi; Edward Dwyer, first and only meeting, at Armidale.

Thursday, September 26, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Samuel Terry Hughes, deceased, adjourned examination; Samuel Terry Hughes, deceased, adjourned examination; William Greenhalgh, special, for examination of a witness; Eugene Lemonerie (alt Fattorini), special, for examination of insolvent.

Friday, September 27, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Robert Toombs, first and only meeting; John Osterenshaw, first and only meeting; Frederick Gustav Lender, adjourned third, from the 13th instant; James Cooper, first meeting.

Friday, September 27, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: James Brennan, special, for proof of debts and examination of insolvent, if required, at Goulburn.

Monday, September 30, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: James Morony, first and only meeting, at Orange; Samuel King, first and only meeting, at Mudgee.

Tuesday, October 1, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: James Evan Davies, deceased, first meeting, at East Maitland.

APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES.

Tuesday, September 24, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: John Steel, Level Owers, John Sharpe, Frederick Henry Hunt, John Bisny, Charles James Jackson, John Seacombe, adjourned from the 3rd instant; John Howard, adjourned from the 3rd instant; Peter Anderson, adjourned from the 10th instant; Robert John Higgins, adjourned from the 10th instant; Mary Anne Hudson, adjourned from the 17th instant; Napoleon Smith, adjourned from the 17th instant; Charles Bosswern Bandaud, adjourned from the 17th instant.

Tuesday, October 1, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: John Louis Vesper, George Byrne, Thomas Robinson, David Crampton jun., Charles Kelly, adjourned certificate from the 10th ultimo; George Francis Mason, adjourned from the 10th ultimo; John Webb and William Govers, adjourned from the 17th ultimo.

COURT BUSINESS.

Thursday, September 26, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Account current and plan of distribution for confirmation, in the estate of William Henry Matthews, showing a first dividend of 9s. in the £, upon concurrent proofs, and paying two preferent proofs in full; Samuel Terry Hughes (deceased), rule nisi, to set aside summons for examination—adjourned from the 12th instant.

Compulsory sequestration.—Australian Joint Stock Bank v. William Coupland.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

FRIDAY.

BEFORE the Police Magistrate, with Messrs. Pinhey, Jolly, Ostley, G. Hill, E. Campbell, Murphy, Levy, and Palmer.

Seven persons were fined for drunkenness, two of whom were further severally fined 20s., or to be imprisoned seven days, on conviction of having in their drunkenness made use of obscene language.

Catherine M'Crae, charged with having wilfully broken certain glass, the property of — Brown, pleaded guilty, and was ordered to pay 15s. damages, or to be imprisoned seven days.

Maria Hudson was brought before the Bench by constable Quaife, who deposed that about 10 o'clock last night he saw her "standing" in Hay-street, her clothes lifted as high as her knees, and he took her into custody for being a common prostitute, "wandering" in a public place and behaving in an indecent manner. To be imprisoned seven days.

Seven prisoners were discharged and one was remanded.

On the summons paper were fourteen cases, of which four were dismissed. In one, the magistrates disagreed, and made no order; two were struck out for want of prosecution, and three were postponed. In Balmer v. Gaggine, affiliation, an order was made for 2s. 6d. a week. John Swaine was fined 20s. for assaulting William Jackson (a counter charge of Swaine v. Jackson was dismissed); and Matilda Smith was fined 10s., with the addition of 10s. 6d. professional costs to Mr. Carroll, for assaulting Mary Smith, her sister.

SATURDAY.

Before Messrs. Cunninghame and Smart.

Seven persons were fined for drunkenness.

Elizabeth Burns, after being fined 10s. for having been found drunk in a public place, was further fined 40s. for using obscene language in her drunkenness; in default of payment of both sums, to be imprisoned seventeen days.

Mr. Carroll appeared to answer for one Jemima Cullen, who, after being locked up for drunkenness, was admitted to bail for her appearance before the Court. Mr. Smart questioned the propriety of dispensing with the actual personal appearance of any but the individual bound to appear. Mr. Carroll, without entering into the legal question, said that in several instances within his own knowledge the conditions of the recognizances had been set aside in respect of persons moving in a respectable sphere—officials, professional men, and in one case a clergyman—and the plea of an attorney taken in lieu thereof. Mr. Smart said that any number of wrongful acts would not make a right, but as it had been done in other cases he would receive Mr. Carroll's plea if he were prepared to pay the penalty. Mr. Carroll was ready to do so, and his plea was received. To pay a penalty of 5s.

Ann Jane Thompson was found guilty of having wilfully destroyed windows, the property of Henry Jelly, and was ordered to pay 20s. damages, or to be imprisoned seven days.

James Powell was summarily convicted of having stolen a door mat of the value of 20s., the property of Alfred Bradford, and was sentenced to be imprisoned two months.

THE ROSTER.—Monday, September 23: Messrs. Murphy, Spence, Powell, Merriman, and Meyers. Tuesday, 24: Messrs. Evans, Hezlet, Kippax, Charlton, and Phillips; Wednesday, 25: Messrs. Day, Curran, Hughes, and Love. Thursday, 26: Messrs. Birrell, Smithers, Thompson, Penfold, and Lester. Friday, 27: Messrs. Ostley, Goold, Neale, Palmer, and E. Campbell. Saturday, 28: Messrs. Cunninghame and Smart.

WATER POLICE COURT.

FRIDAY.

BEFORE the Water Police Magistrate, and Messrs. Smart, Hale, Stewart, and Loxton.

Three persons were punished for drunkenness.

Thomas M'Ghee was fined 10s., or four days' gaol, in default of payment, for making use of obscene language in George-street; and for assaulting George King, was ordered to pay an additional penalty of 20s., in default of payment to go to gaol for seven days.

John Donovan was fined 20s. for riotous behaviour in George-street.

Philip Chandler, convicted of indecent behaviour in Crescent-street, was fined 10s., in default of payment to go to gaol for four days.

Charles Leader, charged with making use of obscene language in Phillip-street, was fined 1s., in default to be imprisoned until the rising of the Court.

Before Messrs. Lester and Goold.

Richard Douglas, Joseph Heappy, John Quye, James Cutter, Austin Tyneen, and Thomas Hobbs were charged on remand with committing a rape upon Mary Ann Bradley. The evidence of the prosecutrix was taken, and prisoners were remanded until Monday, bail in each case being refused. Mr. R. Driver appeared for Tyneen and Heappy, Mr. Roberts for Cutter, Mr. H. Driver for Hobbs and Douglas, and Mr. R. Lowe for Quye.

SUMMONS SHEET.—There were fifteen cases on the sheet. Albert Davis and Michael O'Grady, charged by Michael Kane with assault, were fined respectively £2 and £1, with costs. Seven persons were punished for breach of the Municipal by-laws. Three cases were withdrawn, and in one the parties did not appear. Alfred Webb, summoned by John M'Fadden for £35 19s. 8d. wages for services on board the barque Burnett, was ordered to pay the amount claimed with costs.

SATURDAY.

Before the Water Police Magistrate and Messrs. Day and Charlton.

Seven persons were fined for drunkenness.

Mary Ann Johnstone, charged with vagrancy, was sent to gaol for one month.

ROSTER.—Monday: Messrs. Lester, Smithers, John Williams, and J. J. Curran. Tuesday: Messrs. S. Goold, T. Loxton, George Renwick. Wednesday: Messrs. T. Spence, S. S. Goold, M. F. Josephson, R. P. Richardson. Thursday: Messrs. Ostley, Frazer, Charlton, and Evans. Friday: Messrs. Loxton, Hale, and Stewart. Saturday: Mr. T. C. Breillat.

PROVINCIAL SYNOD OF NEW SOUTH WALES. CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

FOURTH DAY.

THE Provincial Synod assembled in the Church Society's House, Phillip-street, on Friday afternoon, at 4 p.m.

The prayers having been read by the President, the minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

EXPENSES COMMITTEE.

The Rev. Canon CHILD (for and in the absence of the Rev. L. Tyrrell) moved,—"That a committee be appointed by the Synod for the purpose of providing for the expenses incurred during the present session of the Provincial Synod, and that such committee consist of the Rev. Canon Stephen, Rev. Canon Selwyn, Rev. Thomas Druitt, Mr. Richard Jones, Mr. T. H. Mate, Mr. C. Bolton, and the Rev. Canon Child."

The Rev. H. A. PALMER seconded the motion.

The motion was put, by the leave of the House, and carried.

ADJOURNED DEBATE—REPEAL OF THE CHURCH ACT.

The adjourned debate on Rev. Hulton S. King's motion (to be resumed by Mr. Alexander Gordon), was called on. The motion was,—"That a joint committee be appointed to consider and report to this House during the present session, what amendments (of the Church Act) are advisable, and how such amendments may be effected. Such committee to consist of Revs. Canon Selwyn, T. Druitt, W. S. Wilson; Messrs. W. J. Foster, A. J. Chisholm, Shepherd Smith, and Rev. H. S. King." On which the following amendment had, on the preceding evening, been proposed by Rev. W. S. Wilson,—"That a committee of this House be appointed to consider the Church Act, and that their attention be particularly directed to the following points:—1. Whether any, and, if so, what provisions of the Act may be adequately provided for by ordinances of the Provincial or Diocesan Synods. 2. Whether any, and, if so, what provisions therein contained, would for the security of property require still to have the authority of the Colonial Legislature. 3. What course would most effectually secure to the Church the benefits derived from the Act, while relieving the Church from its disadvantageous provisions. That the said committee be respectfully requested to communicate their report to the Metropolitan, requesting that he will send copies thereof to the Bishops of the several dioceses in the colony, with a view to its being by them brought before their Synods, or where no Synod has been formed, before their clergy and laity in such way as they may think advisable. That the said committee consist of the Revs. H. S. King, Canon Selwyn, A. T. Puddicombe, and Messrs. A. Gordon, W. J. Foster, A. Stuart, B. Lee, and A. J. Chisholm."

Mr. Chancellor GORDON said that they had yesterday come to the conclusion, by a tolerably unanimous vote, that the Church Act required amendment; but they had now before them a more difficult, and perhaps more important task, to decide what they should do to carry out the understanding at which they had arrived. The Rev. Hulton King proposed to have a committee to consider and report upon the Act during this session of the Provincial Synod—in order to ascertain what amendments were advisable, and how they were to be effected; but the Rev. Mr. Wilson had proposed what seemed to him (Mr. Chancellor Gordon) to be a far wiser and more judicious course. The Rev. Hulton King had somehow caught a lawyer (Mr. W. J. Foster) and his rev. friend would know very well how much work that meant to have performed. (Laughter.) To go through that important measure would necessarily occupy a very great deal of time, and would require much care; but that time and care would not possibly be ill bestowed, if the Rev. Mr. King's resolution were now affirmed. He should prefer to vote for the Rev. Mr. Wilson's amendment as far more reasonable and proper. The learned chancellor then proceeded to argue that the members of the House who had spoken in favour of the Rev. Hulton King's first resolution, could not consistently vote for the second motion now moved by that rev. gentleman, and at present before the House. He argued that several of the members who had spoken against the Church Act knew very well that they could not carry out the vague theories to which they had been pleased to give utterance as against the Church Act. He believed that the committee mentioned in Mr. Wilson's motion was a perfectly just and fair one; in every respect well calculated to deal satisfactorily with this important matter. He hoped that the clergy of the diocese of Goulburn might see their way to vote for Mr. Wilson's amendment. He (Mr Gordon) dissented altogether from some of the wild theories of some of those rev. gentlemen who had spoken against the Church Act. He had heard the speech of the Chancellor of the Goulburn diocese on the previous evening with sincere admiration; and even where he differed from that gentleman he desired to say that he did not think that gentleman's arguments had been answered by the Rev. Canon who spoke after him. He (Mr. Gordon) differed occasionally from that learned gentleman, the Chancellor of the Goulburn diocese, but he had more sympathy with that gentleman's ideas than he had with those expressed by some of the members with whom he had had to vote. (Hear, hear.) He hoped the House would affirm the motion, now made in the way of amendment, by the Rev. Mr. Wilson.

The Rev. Canon WHITE upheld the amendment, arguing that the lapse of three years would assuredly bring about a happy solution of the impending difficulty. He felt quite sure that, by that time, the diocese of Goulburn would be perfectly convinced of the propriety of repealing this Church Act. (No.) Well, he thought so; they would by that time have all received, from the circumstances of the Church at large, a large amount of experience to guide them. He thought that the Rev. Mr. Wilson had hit upon the very best course of proceeding, and complimented his learned friend, Mr. Chancellor Gordon, for the great and most gratifying interest which he took in all Church matters—making a special mention of the fact that Mr. Chancellor Gordon very kindly and liberally did all the law business for the Diocese of Newcastle for nothing.

Mr. WILKINSON stated the reasons why he thought it desirable that the Church Act should be repealed. The Church Act was, to a great extent, the transcription of a legislation directed to act upon an Established Church, and was therefore not necessarily adapted to the state of the Church here, which was confessedly not established. Such legislation at home could not possibly bind us here, as it bound members of the Church of England. The learned gentleman pointed out that colonial legislation on the other hand, bound all alike; and, in this respect differed from the Imperial legislation, affecting the Church in England—a legislation which here did not, and could not, directly apply. This Church Act, as a transcription of these, to a certain extent, inapplicable laws, was found to be continually impeding the carrying out of our Colonial Church Ordinances. (Loud cries of Hear, and counter cheers.) It was admitted that the Church Act was very embarrassing and inapplicable to the wants of the Church, and yet its amendment was depreciated. He believed that the Church Act must be repealed, and that it ought to be repealed. (Hear, hear.) As matters stood now, the natural result of the position of that Act was that it was liable to be ignored, and was, as a matter of notoriety, constantly so ignored. The Act, it must be remembered, was passed upwards of thirty years ago, and it was not to be wondered at that it was not applicable now. The Church Act was, in itself, as he contended, the first step towards a legal separation from the Church of England. ("No, No.") It was an accepted law, different to the law as to Church matters as it existed in England. He thought that this Act of William the Fourth showed us logically that we had ceased to be an integral part of the Church of England. (Hear, hear, hear.) This state of things was something that was inseparable from our position in this colony, and could not possibly be helped. He deprecated the evils that were likely to arise from purely voluntary association in matters of religion, but he thought that the dangers so much dreaded might perhaps be owing to our own want of faith. The Church in Scotland and the Protestant Episcopal Church in America had both proved to be quite able to go on with their work irrespective of that kind of legislation which was apparently by many so much relied upon. The Church Act and all such legislation was, in his opinion, clearly opposed to the rights of the Church in this colony as a voluntary religious association. (Hear, hear.)

The Rev. A. SOARES was surprised to find the Chancellor of the Sydney diocese assenting to the Rev. Mr. Wilson's amendment. He was surprised at it because he believed that that learned gentleman agreed with him (Mr. Soares) as to the great undesirableness of repealing this Act. He contended that there was very great danger in repealing or trying to amend this Act, for it might be we should never get anything again that would be half so good. They were told the Act was like a damaged ship or a dismantled fortress, but such things as that were easily said. If the Act were a damaged ship, they might possibly get it on the dock and find they could never manage to get afloat again.

Mr. S. SMITH had voted for the resolution that was carried, but thought the proposed amendment should be carried out with the utmost care, and that any attempt at hasty changes would be injurious to the Church. He was not quite sure that they might not, perhaps, have to repeal the Church Act after they had carefully guarded themselves by their own ordinances as being regulations better adapted to the existing state of the colonial Church. He believed that the Chancellor for the Diocese of Sydney had concurred, as unwillingly as he possibly could, with the resolution of the Standing Committee of the Sydney diocese—that this Act should be amended in several particulars. He (Mr. Smith) feared that the Chancellor was only voting for the amendment in order to do as little against the Church Act as he could, proposing to put off the consideration of it practically for at least three years. There had been at least eighteen strong objections advanced in the committee against the Church Act, but with none of these did the learned Chancellor take upon himself to deal except, indeed, such as were the most trifling—such as he could readily crush and do away with. He let all the great objections found to exist in the Act, very wisely, alone. He (Mr. S. Smith) thought he should vote for the motion moved by the Rev. Hulton King, although he confessed he did not altogether like some of the words in which it was drawn up. It seemed to him to be a far more practical mode of action than that proposed to be adopted by the amendment moved by the Rev. Mr. Wilson. If a committee were appointed on the motion of the Rev. Mr. King, the matter might be more effectually dealt with. He suggested, however, that the words "what amendments are advisable and" should be left out.

Mr. A. STUART proposed to have the clauses of the amendment put *seriatim*, and desired to have Mr. Shepherd Smith's name substituted for his own.

The Rev. Mr. WILSON asked leave of the House to add the name of Mr. Shepherd Smith to his proposed committee.

Leave was given, and the name of Mr. Sr. Smith was accordingly added to the names of the committee named in the proposed amendment.

Mr. A. STUART proceeded, pointing out the difficulty of the task proposed to be carried out by the motion. That House was only a portion of the Provincial Synod, and it would be very desirable if the House of Representatives did come to any conclusion in this matter that that conclusion should be reported to the other House. He deprecated any attempt to force this matter forward now that two of the colonial dioceses (Bathurst, and Grafton and Armidale) were at present through no fault of theirs, wholly unrepresented. He hoped that the representatives of the diocese of Goulburn would vote for the amendment.

The House adjourned for one hour, for refreshment, at 6.15.

The House having resumed,

The Rev. S. S. HARPUR thought, as the amendment was a postponement of the question, and would do no mischief, he had no objection to it, and would therefore vote for it. Mr. Wilkinson, in the course of his observations, reminded them that they were not the Church of England at home; and that, consequently, they might consider themselves by whatever name they liked. He would, however, remind him, as a lawyer, that all the Acts passed in the reign of George IV. were translated to this colony, and were in full force in it. Amongst these Acts was the Prayer-book of England, which was an Act of Parliament, and enacted the canons and rubric which were binding upon us. He wished to show those who might be led astray by the arguments used by Mr. Wilkinson, that we were bound by the law of England, and were, therefore, strictly members of the Church of England. We were formerly an Established Church in this colony, but a year before the passing of the present Church Act we were disestablished. The observations which appeared to be directed to the committee were dangerous for them to entertain, because they must look upon themselves as sitting as members of the Church of England in this colony. He contended that the Act should not be torn away to enable them to do an injustice. The tribunal which they sought to bring in was altogether a wrong, and it would be utterly impossible to constitute it without power from the Legislature. No amount of legislation could give us anything better than the Church Act, but he supported Mr. Wilson's amendment on the ground that it would probably prevent any mischief, and would do no harm.

The Rev. J. G. LOVE supported the amendment, and thought that, if carried, it would be the means of getting the Church Act thoroughly discussed, and that every diocese at present unrepresented would have a say in the matter, and that they would be able to organize, and ascertain what suited them and what did not. He thought, therefore, that it was a very great advantage to have the question kept open for three years. He thought we should be acting most unwisely in appealing to the Legislature in its present temper to repeal or amend the Act before we had a definite scheme to propose.

Mr. BOULTON supported the amendment. If we could by any means preserve the trusts under the Act, he should be delighted to know that the Act was abolished altogether. (Hear, hear.) During the discussion upon the subject, it would appear that this Act alone bound us to the Church of England, and that without the Act we should be Mahomedans or something else; but his notion of the Church of England depended, not upon an Act of the colonial Legislature, but upon our doctrine, faith, and ritual. He thought that so long as we maintained the doctrine of the Church of England we could not belong to any other Church. If they preserved the trusts under that Act, there was no fear that evil would arise from the abolition of the Church Act altogether.

Mr. W. J. FOSTER thought that upon the question before the House they were nearly unanimous, and that there would be a large majority in favour of the course he himself intended to adopt. He thought both the resolutions had the same object, but one appeared to carry it out better than the other, and that was the resolution of the Rev. Mr. Wilson. He admitted that the subject was an interesting and important one, but why they should have taken up two days over it he could not understand. (Hear, hear.) If they looked at the question before them it would be seen that it did not deserve the attention which had been directed to it. There had been no attempt to bind any one in the resolution, and the Legislature would never interfere one way or the other until they saw that the Church of England was unanimous upon the question—(hear, hear)—and would not listen to any proposition made by members of the Church of England who did not represent the majority of the Church of England in this colony. He did not see, therefore, what danger there could be in passing this amendment. He voted for the amendment because he thought it would give some time for the ventilation of the subject. He thought there was a great deal that was good in the Act, but at the same time there were many things which might be amended; but if we could not be unanimous it would be wrong to approach the Legislature, and it would be useless. He did not see that the amendment had anything to do with the question, whether we were an integral portion of the Church of England or not.

Mr. C. CAMPBELL denied the assertion which had been put forward, that the Diocese of Goulburn were the only obstructionists, and contended that the amendment had not been legally brought before the House. He thought if they appointed a committee with these instructions it would be altogether inoperative. He trusted that before the House carried the amendment they would gravely consider whether they could not adopt the Rev. Mr. King's proposition in a modified form.

The Rev. Canon SMITH believed that his hon. and learned friend (Mr. Campbell) had hit the right nail on the head, in what he had said as to the futility of their proceedings. He thought that almost all the speeches that evening had been out of order. It was not, as a matter of order, competent to members of that House to reopen the whole question as to the desirability of all that which was carried on the previous evening. This had been done by the Chancellor, who had pointedly referred to a speech which he had made.

The Rev. Canon SELWYN rose to order. The Rev. Canon Smith was out of order. The rev. gentleman had already spoken to the amendment.

After some remarks from the Rev. Canon STEPHEN and Mr. BARKER,

The PRESIDENT ruled that the Rev. Canon was in order.

The Rev. Canon SMITH proceeded. He objected to any member referring to speeches that were made on the previous evening, and in what was a previous debate. He thought that the House ought not to vote for the amendment, but for the motion. He thought that the amendment went only to shelve the resolution which the House arrived at on the previous evening. He had voted on the same side as the Chancellor of the Sydney diocese, and he thought it rather hard that he should be twitted for having followed such a sagacious ecclesiastical leader. (A laugh.) He agreed with the Chancellor for Goulburn that it would be better to vote for the motion by the Rev. Hulton King than for the amendment.

The Rev. T. DRUITT thought that the plan proposed by the Chancellor for the Goulburn diocese was the most feasible for them to adopt, and trusted that, in view of this, the amendment would now be withdrawn. (Divide, divide.)

The Rev. HULTON S. KING said he could not understand how the Provincial Synod could legally do what was suggested to be done by the Rev. Mr. Wilson's amendment, and he pressed for an affirmative vote upon the motion.

The question was put,—"That all the words after the word 'that' in the original motion be omitted, with a view to the insertion of the words proposed in the Rev. Mr. Wilson's amendment."

Upon the question,—"That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question," the following division (taken by dioceses) was arrived at:—

	Ayes. C.	Ayes. L.		Noes. C.	Noes. L.
Sydney	2	1	..	4	5
Goulburn	2	5	..	4	0
Newcastle	0	0	..	5	3
	4	6		13	8
	10			21	

Majority for "noes" in the Sydney Diocese, 2 clerical, 4 lay; Goulburn Diocese, no vote; majority for "noes" in the Newcastle Diocese, 5 clerical, 3 lay.

This question was therefore resolved in the negative.

A long and desultory discussion ensued on points of order arising out of the manner in which the question was submitted to the House. Ultimately—

The question was put—"That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted."

On this the House again divided with the following result:—

	Ayes. C.	Ayes. L.		Noes. C.	Noes. L.
Sydney	4	5	..	2	1
Goulburn	1	0	..	5	5
Newcastle	5	2	..	0	1
	10	7		7	7
	17			14	

Majority for "ayes" in the Sydney diocese, 2 clerical and 4 lay; Newcastle diocese, 5 clerical and 1 lay. In the diocese of Goulburn the majority was in the "noes," 4 clerical and 5 lay.

The PRESIDENT said there was a clear majority in favour of the affirmative vote. The "motion as amended,"—namely, the insertion of the words of the amendment moved by the Rev. Mr. WILSON—was then put *pro forma*, and carried without a division.

APPOINTMENT OF BISHOPS.

Mr. Chancellor A. GORDON said the following notice stood upon the business paper in his name:—"That this Synod, having considered the subject of the future appointment of Bishops in the dioceses of New South Wales, reports that, subject to the intervention of the Crown in any such appointments, the manner of making the same ought in all respects to rest with the Church in each diocese." The learned gentleman said that he had brought the matter *pro forma*, but thought it would be hardly worth while to move so important a motion, as the matter

would have so soon to be dealt with at the October Conference. He therefore begged leave to withdraw the motion.

Mr. CHARLES CAMPBELL hoped the motion would be withdrawn by leave of the House, because it was one which could not be legally entertained. The matter it referred to was not a matter of joint reference.

The Rev. Canon SELWYN rose to order. The President had already ruled that there was nothing in the point of order raised by Mr. Campbell.

The Rev. Mr. WILSON also objected to the withdrawal of the motion on the grounds advanced for it by Mr. Campbell.

Mr. S. SMITH moved the adjournment of the House, objecting to the withdrawal of the motion.

The Rev. Canon WHITE seconded the motion.

The Rev. Canon SELWYN was opposed to the withdrawal of the motion, and considered that Mr. Chancellor Gordon had acted in a manner unworthy of the high position that he occupied in thus suddenly and unexpectedly withdrawing so important a motion.

The Rev. Canon SMITH defended the course proposed to be taken by Mr. Chancellor Gordon.

After some discussion,

The Rev. JOHN SHAW addressed the House, and took the same view as that spoken to by the Rev. Canon Smith.

The Rev. HULTON KING explained that the Chancellor had agreed to withdraw the motion at the instance of the Rev. Canon Allwood, who from indisposition was unable to attend that evening.

The Rev. Mr. WILSON considered they were in duty bound to go on with the motion, believing that the honour of the House was rather compromised in this matter.

Mr. A. STUART suggested that the Chancellor should proceed with the motion.

The Rev. Canon CHILD felt there was a want of courtesy in Mr. Chancellor Gordon not having given them some notice that he was going to withdraw this motion.

Mr. Chancellor GORDON protested against the discourtesy manifested towards him in this matter by the Rev. Canon Selwyn. He was quite ready to go on with the motion if the House desired it.

The PRESIDENT did not think that Mr. Gordon had shown any discourtesy whatever, either to the House or any of its members, in proposing to withdraw the motion of which he had given notice.

The question of the adjournment was then put and carried without opposition.

The House adjourned at five minutes to 10, until Monday, at 3 30 p.m.

WINDSOR.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

BOROUGH COUNCIL.—The usual bi-monthly meeting was held on Wednesday evening. Present—The Mayor, and Aldermen Crew, Gosper, Ridge, Primrose, Beard, Linsley, and Moses. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Correspondence: Letter from Paton and Simons, intimating that they had completed their contract in fencing in the Church Green. Received, and referred to the Committee of Works for consideration and report. Minutes from the Mayor: 1. The Committee of Works appointed at the last meeting having declined to act, it was proposed that Aldermen Primrose, Ridge, and Gosper constitute the committee. Carried. 2. That the appointment on the 12th instant of Mr. Robert Turner to act as an auditor in the absence of Mr. S. Greenwell be confirmed. Carried. 3. Conditions of sale for the leasing of M'Quade Park were agreed to, the Mayor being authorised to put up a notice warning the public against animals straying on the park. Report: From the Finance Committee, recommending the payment of certain accounts referred to them from the previous meeting, amounting to £14 14s. 9d.; also the payment of £20 on account of kerbing and guttering in George-street to H. Montgomery. Received. Accounts from B. Isaacs, 4s. for printing, and £15, a quarter's salary, due to Council clerk, were referred to Finance Committee. Questions: In answer to questions put by Alderman Primrose, in the absence of Alderman Walker, the Mayor replied,—(1.) That the municipal accounts for the half-year ended August the 5th last had been made out and placed before the auditors for examination; (2) that the books of account were now in the hands of the auditors, and a statement would be ready to send for publication on the morrow (Thursday); (3) that the municipal rates for the current year amounted to £333 12s. 7d.; (4) that the rate received amounted to £175 10s. 4d., which included some payments for the whole municipal year; and that the arrears up to the 5th August were £40 15s. 6d.; (5) that the amount standing to the credit of the corporation was £184 12s. 9d. Motions: On the motion for the adoption of the report of the Finance Committee, Alderman Crew asked Alderman Primrose, the chairman, if D. Brown's work in repairing Church-street had been inspected? Alderman Primrose: Yes, by Aldermen Ridge, Gosper, and himself. Alderman Crew also asked had it been done according to specification? Alderman Primrose: Yes. Alderman Crew denied that it had been done according to specification; the road wanted six inches more stuff on it. Alderman Primrose said that since the work had been done there had been a great deal of traffic on the road, and it had very likely sunken, but he could safely say the contract had been carried out with credit to the contractor and to the Works Committee; it would have been well if all the other works had been done as faithfully. Alderman Crew said he could prove the work had not been done properly. Alderman Ridge supported Alderman Primrose's statement. After some further discussion, the motion was carried. Alderman Moses moved that an inspector of nuisances be appointed, at a salary of £10 per annum, to commence from the 1st of October next; also, that senior-sergeant Fitzpatrick be appointed to the office, and that the Mayor write to the Inspector-General of Police for permission for sergeant Fitzpatrick to act in that capacity. Carried. Before the Council rose, the Mayor intimated that there were about one hundred persons who had not paid up their rates; that notice would be given them, and if such rates were not paid on or before the 1st of October, he would cause warrants of distress or summonses for the next Small Debts Court to be issued for the recovery of the same. The meeting then adjourned.

15th September.

SOUTH OF HAWKINS HILL.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

TRAVELLING south from Hawkins Hill, Oakey Creek is crossed; on each side claims are either sinking or tunnelling all in a hard country. Heavy square pegs, base line, and boundary meet the view as the hill is descended. On the score of pegs the various companies deserve high praise; the greater part of them bear painted tablets with the name of the company in large letters. The sign-writers must have found trade good in that respect, as nearly all the companies have gone to the expense of erecting these special sign-posts.

Oakey Creek past a hill of moderate proportions is met, and as it stands on the line is covered with selections. On this hill I visited the South Star line of reef, which has for a long time worked on a golden vein supposed to be payable. An opportunity now is given to the line by the erection of machinery on the Turon, which I fancy many will avail themselves of. To crush before this, with heavy packing expenses to the Hill machines—the only ones at hand—would have been bad policy.

The South Star runs on the north side of the Turon. The Prospecting Claim was originally the property of Wythes and party; it was disposed of to a company, and has been in its hands about twelve months. By an amalgamation with the next claim the company's holding was enlarged; it is now 5 acres and 3 men's ground. The reef runs north and south, and varies from 4 to 16 inches, underlaying west about one in three. Two shafts, one 70 the other 170 feet, have been sunk on this vein, and some stoping has been done north and south, the stone showing gold right through. Close on 45 tons of stone was at grass at the time of my visit. It would be difficult to estimate what it is likely to crush, as much of the quartz is from the top, and the stone improves going down. The mill will soon answer that question. A road was in progress when I visited the reef. This will enable drays to convey the stone to Lewis's machine at a trifling cost.

The "South Star" is now under the management of Mr. Hancock, and is in first-class working order. The shaft has been widened, and the ground properly timbered. With the machine so close at hand, the claim ought to prove payable. The Araluen Star Company is at work north on the line; south, the Clan Campbell is stoping stone from the surface. The No. 3 South Star Company has a contract shaft going down to cut the vein at 150 feet. The Lord Ashley, a 10-acre lease, has a shaft down 92 feet; and the next claim, the Windsor Castle, is at present idle.

Between this line and the Turon several lines are being worked, many on veins some with an easterly, and others with a westerly dip, but the stone as yet is poor, and wants depth. The banks of the Turon reached where Lewis's machine is at work, the river can be crossed, and if the heights are ascended a splendid view may be had of the line across to the rich claims; also a look at the much talked of dyke which separates the east and the west dip of the veins. This division is plainly visible from the south side of the Turon like an inverted V, laid bare by the river's action. This dividing belt or dyke has given rise to much discussion, as many affirm that on the westerly dip payable gold would not be found, and as the majority leaned to this theory, the east for miles was the favoured line for marking out on. It has been proved, however, that payable veins do exist on the west, and many companies are at work on that side. In fact it may be said that the country south of Oakey Creek as yet has not been tested, although much labour and capital has been expended. It may be possible to bring the rich Hawkins Hills veins across Oakey Creek. I know many have done it in theory, but as yet no practical proof can be adduced. Slow and steady prospecting will be required in many instances, and as I have suggested in a former article, amalgamation of many of the small capitel companies now at work, if the district is meant to give a return for outlay.

Travelling south in the direction of Chambers Creek, I crossed the lease known as the Sailor Prince. A Sydney company has five acres and a shaft is going down with three shifts of men to prospect the easterly dip of Hawkins Hill lines. Mr. W. Smith is the manager; his comfortable cottage stands high above the river, and forms a kind of landmark for parties toiling in the surrounding hills.

To give the names of the various claims and lines between the town and Chambers Creek, would fill a column, and perhaps afford but little information. There is no doubt if the present work is continued that portion of the country will be well prospected. All that I fear is the heavy amount of capital it will take to thoroughly prospect. When the first fifty feet cost at the rate of £3 per foot prospecting becomes an expensive affair, and one not to be entered on without consideration. The company known as the Hawkins Hill View is aptly named, as from its position a splendid view of the rich claims distant nearly three miles can be obtained. Although the View cannot be regarded as rich as the Hill, yet it has a very likely vein of 8 inches with an easterly underlay. A shaft is down on it 156 feet; the fifteen tons grassed looks payable.

The most promising reef I visited south of Hill End is named the Welcome, it is situated west of the Macquarie River, in a most favorable position for profitable working, and close to the machine in course of erection by the Oriental Company. The Prospecting claim, 17 acres in all, is held by a company. The reef was opened some twelve months ago by Messrs Syme and Wood. The reef was cut in a gully about 70 yards from the river, it averages 2 feet in thickness, and has been worked along north and south 200 feet, it lies in a nice slate underlaying east. Three hundred tons are at grass, and from the heap I picked several stones showing gold, the mill ought to give a favourable report of this reef but little known up to the present time. At present the stoping is carried on from the gully to a depth of 50 feet, north a tunnel is going in to cut the reef at 300 feet, and south an adit, now in 120 feet, will cut the stone at a depth of 20? feet from the hills surface. When the reef is well opened up, and a tram laid down to the machine, the Welcome Amalgamated Company is bound to prove a profitable concern, as the stone can be easily raised, and no handling will be required from the time it leaves the miners' hands.

In the upper portion of the lease, a vein was worked eight years ago, and although it crushed 5 oz. to the ton, abandoned, as it was narrow, and crushing very expensive. Mr. James Wood is the manager, and deserves credit for the economical mode the work is carried on under his direction.

On the "Welcome" line on the one side the Golden Fleece, Pactolus, and Nonpareil companies are at work on the other, the Great Tambaroora, Leviathan, Cumberland, and Court and Sutherland's claim.

Taking a turn to the left, I passed over the Homeward Bound, Darky Maine, and Albion lines, all at work; some of the claims on likely leaders.

The Yankee's line has several claims at work, and some registered.

While going over the lines on one of them, I visited an abandoned or registered claim, on which I found a heap of quartz bearing a notice to the following effect. I copied it as written, it will give an idea how "prying" some of the visitors to the reefs at the time of the Sydney rush to Hill End were:—"Notis Eny person or persons ketched brakin or medlin with eny of this stone, or goin down Eather of the shafts medlin with this stone will bee delt with cordin to law." (V.L.) I had a look at the heap spite of the notice, and decidedly, any person thinking it worth notice, ought to be dealt with by the law.

I crossed Chambers Creek and had a look at Allen's Nuggetty claim, which stands high up on the hill, visible from its height from Hawkins Hill, although distant six miles. Work is progressing steadily on Allen's claim. I saw the finest whim I inspected in the district in course of erection, and the workshop is all that one could desire. Unfortunately, I could not see the manager, as he had just left for dinner the day of my visit, so had not an opportunity of underground inspection, therefore I can write but little—only a word of praise to the arrangement on the surface. I hope the stone will warrant the outlay. I will conclude this rather long epistle with a notice of the workings in progress at Bald Hill, which lies close to the township of Hill End and a short distance from Chappell's machine on Bald Hill Creek.

The Bald Hill is south-west from Hill End township, and from its summit can be obtained the best view of the entire district. Near that summit a vein was worked years ago, christened Marshall's Reef, and stone from it went, it is said, 10 oz. to the ton. To cut these abandoned veins at a depth a company, named the Bald Hill, was formed, with a large capital, and tunnelling and sinking are in progress.

The tunnels are going in west. The southern is in 200 feet, and the shaft up the hill, down 83 feet. The northern tunnel is in 90, and the shaft 74 feet down. Both tunnels are going in on a good principle, and it is necessary to timber both. Mr. James Prescott has the management.

The Bald Hill Company deserves credit for the mode pursued by them in prospecting, as, if any chance is afforded, the Company by their present arrangements are bound to reap the benefit.

I will now direct my steps to the old town of Tambaroora.

CAPTURE OF TWO YOUNG DESPERADOS.

(*From the Illawarra Mercury.*)

AT the Wollongong Police Court on Monday, 16th instant, before Messrs. Smith and Turner.

Patrick M'Donnall and Sydney Albert Downie, two young men of between 20 and 25 years of age, appeared in custody to answer a charge of having unlawfully assaulted one Philip M'Mahon while driving her Majesty's mail between Campbelltown and Wollongong.

Senior-sergeant Sheridan stated that by announcement in the *Police Gazette* it appeared probable that there was a warrant out from the Hill End Bench for the apprehension of M'Donnall; and that Downie was wanted at Coonamble where it would appear he had escaped from the lockup while in custody, on a charge of horse-stealing and stealing firearms. Deponent having been sworn, then stated as follows:—On Sunday last from information received I proceeded to Mrs. Osborne's Commercial Hotel, Wollongong, to meet constable Cull, of Appin, whom I heard was in pursuit of two men; I entered the hotel and remained in the parlour for five or ten minutes, the two prisoners, constable Cull, and others being at dinner; when dinner was over, prisoner Downie came out of the dining-room into the parlour, where I was seated in plain clothes; I sprang on my feet, putting my hand to his breast, telling him at the same time to open his coat; he hesitated, but I assisted him, and on opening his coat, I found two pistols (produced) in a belt that was round his waist; I removed them, and found them to be loaded and capped; I searched him further and found in his pockets a purse containing fivepence, also a key and a box of caps; he also claimed two bullet moulds, a powder flask containing powder, three match boxes, with a few matches, two pieces of sperm candles, two bullets, and a handkerchief. Constable Cull had the *Police Gazette* of the 11th September last in his hand, which contained a description of a prisoner who had escaped from the lock-up at Coonamble; where he was awaiting trial at Mudgee for horse-stealing and stealing firearms; that prisoner was termed Harry Alexander, alias Waters, alias Wild Harry. The description given in the *Police Gazette* of that offender corresponded with the prisoner before the Court, except so far as his clothes and boots were concerned; his hat accorded with the description; he told prisoner he apprehended him on suspicion of being the prisoner referred to, and he also read the description to him; the prisoners were then taken to the lockup, where they were charged by the mail driver with having assaulted him on the highway, as before stated. The following articles were claimed by the prisoner M'Donnall:—1 pack playing cards, 1 book, "The Diary of a Law Clerk," 1 bullet mould, and 1 nipple screw.

By prisoner Downie: You did not open your coat until I assisted you to do so.

By prisoner M'Donnall: I found neither powder nor pistols on you; either one or the other of you claimed all the articles mentioned at the lock-up, but there was some quibbling about who owned one thing, and who owned another.

James Cull said: I am a constable, stationed at Appin. I knew the prisoner M'Donnall about seven years ago, when he was no more than a boy; I was on duty in Appin on Saturday night last, and saw the mail stop at the Railway Hotel; the two prisoners were on the coach, and went into the hotel; they went into a room, and I went into the bar and remained there until they came out of the room into the bar; I took a good look at M'Donnall, as I thought he answered the description of a man that was wanted at Hill End, and I also thought Downie answered the description of a runaway prisoner from Coonamble; I was having a good look at M'Donnall, and he said to me, "Do you know me?" I said, "I believe you are young M'Donnall;" after having a conversation with him for about three minutes, I went and looked at the *Police Gazette* and found that the two descriptions answered exactly with both prisoners; before I had time to return the mail had started; I rode to Wollongong the next day, arriving there between 12 and 1 o'clock; I saw both prisoners standing outside the Commercial Hotel; I then sent for Senior-sergeant Sheridan; the prisoners went into the hotel, and I followed them; I called M'Donnall aside, and told him that I apprehended him as there was a warrant out for him from Hill End, where he was charged with stealing a purse containing, £9 and some written documents, the property of Mr. Webster, of that place, on the 1st of August last; he said "if you can't let me go, it will be a great disgrace to my family;" I was present when senior-sergeant Sheridan took the two pistols from Downie; both prisoners were afterwards taken to the lockup.

George Cochrane, an assistant residing at the Commercial Hotel, stated that after constable Cull had arrested M'Donnall, he saw him at the dinner table pass what appeared to be a pistol from his waist to the prisoner Downie; prisoners did not pay for their keep at the hotel, as they had no money to do so; M'Donnall said he had no money, but that his mate had some, and on the other hand Downie said he had no money with him, but that he was going to send for some; they owed 3s each at the hotel; he could not swear that it was a pistol he saw passed from M'Donnall to Downie, but it resembled one.

Philip M'Mahon deposed as follows: I am mail-driver between Wollongong and Campbelltown; on Saturday, the 14th instant, the two prisoners before the Court came by the train from Sydney to Campbelltown, and by my coach to Wollongong the same night; I left Campbelltown at 7 o'clock, and had no other passengers; about half-way between Campbelltown and Appin M'Donnall said, "Let me have the reins, I can drive;" I said, "No; I am behind, and must push along;" Downie said, "Don't let him drive, or I will give you an ounce of lead in your —— ——;" M'Donnall then said, "You better let me drive, or I will give you an ounce and a half, and that will be a —— sickener for you;" I knew Downie in Sydney some time before; when the remarks referred to were made by them, I said they had better not be using such language, as there was no telling who might be listening, and that it might do me harm, as I had not been long driving; shortly after this Downie showed me his pistol, and M'Donnall showed me his; they had a pistol each; I saw the caps, and they wanted to fire them off on the coach, but on coming near Appin I requested them not to make a noise until we passed the village; I changed horses on the other side of the Loddon River, and while doing so both prisoners went into the groom's house and helped themselves to some coffee; on this side of the river M'Donnall again asked me to let him drive, but I declined to do so, telling him that we had to come down the mountain, and that when we got on the level at the bottom I would let him drive; when we were leaving Woonona post-office he again asked to drive, and I gave him the reins; he wanted to get on the driving side of the box, but I would not allow that, as I said I would work the break myself; he drove from Woonona to the Hospital at Wollongong; I may state that while coming along between Campbelltown and Appin the prisoner Downie put his pistol to my breast, saying at the same time, "I will give you the contents of this, you —— ——;" I said in reply, "You better put those away, or they may get you into trouble;" M'Donnall said to that, "We are going to the Clyde diggings, and before we starve we will use them," meaning the pistols; on account of knowing Downie, I can't say that I was afraid of the remarks made by them at the time, but I was afraid coming along the road between Appin and the mountain, as it is lonely, and it was fear that made me let M'Donnall drive from Woonona to the Hospital; I would not swear they meant to do me any harm; they paid the coach fare at the booking-office at Campbelltown.

By prisoner M'Donnall: I had a me rum from you out of a lemonade bottle between Campbelltown and Appin, but the only place I let you drive the coach was where I have stated.

By the Bench: Neither of them were the worse of liquor at the time referred to.

By prisoners: I asked M'Donnall for a look at his pistol as we were coming down the mountain, and he gave it to me, saying he got it from Downie; I asked them for one of the pistols, and they said they would give me one at 11 o'clock the next day, if I called at the Commercial Hotel, where they said they were going to remain until Monday morning; I called for the pistol at the appointed time, but I could not get it from them through one excuse and another they made.

Other charges were heard against the prisoners on Tuesday, and both were committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions.

MINING NEWS.

GOLD.

TULGI BAR.—In the Prospector's claim on the Lion some very good stone has been unearthed this week. One share in No. 1 South Lion, has been sold for £500. One half-share in each of the claims 2, 3, 4, and 5 North Garibaldi, were sold last week for £460.—Mr. Henry Maurice, the manager of the Marcolini Gold Mining Company, left Grafton for Sydney by the Ballina, yesterday (Monday), taking with him 160 lbs. of stone from the company's claim, which for richness surpasses anything yet sent down, and it is supposed will give an average of considerably over 1000 oz. to the ton.—A specimen from the same claim, that was raffled in Grafton some time back in aid of the funds of the Grafton Hospital, by Mr. Paul Marcolini, was crushed last week in Sydney, and realised over 5 oz. gold, or at the rate of 908 oz. to the ton.—At the Caledonian Reef, Solferino, Mr. Thomas E. Willis, of Sydney, is about to erect a large crushing-machine; hands being already employed squaring the timber for the foundations, and tenders are to be invited at once for making 20,000 bricks on the ground, for setting the boiler.—From Sheelmaleer, we learn that heavy gold has again been struck, during the past week, in the whole of the claims from Nos. 1 to 5 north; indeed the specimens taken out of No. 1 north, and which were shown to us by Mr. Hoffman, were really splendid, the stone, it is said, being equal to that obtained from the celebrated Nos. 4 and 5 claims on the Lombardy. Really this district bids fair to outrival any of our gold-fields, being extremely rich in all kinds of minerals.—On the Union 16-acre lease, situate in Malera Scrub, taken up by Messrs. Wright, Kingsmill, Holland, and Co., a reef of plumbago has been opened out; there is also said to be a gold reef running through the same claim. The plumbago, when crushed, gives an average of from 18 to 20 oz. of gold to the ton, with a mixture of silver. There are also indications of copper in the same lease; in addition to which, shotty alluvial gold has been obtained from the leaders of the reef at the rate of from 3 to 4 dwts. to the dish. On this reef, leases are marked out, running as high as 6 and 7 north and south, but the holders of which are idle, waiting the result of the opening-up of the prospectors' claim. The Union Reef is situate just above the old alluvial gold spot, which was so successfully worked some years back, and from which large deposits of alluvial gold were obtained.—*Clarence Examiner*, 17th.

The Nanama correspondent of the *Yass Courier*, 20th September, writes:—Great excitement prevails in consequence of the discovery of new reefs believed to be auriferous. Alluvial has also been discovered, and for the last few nights many of the miners have been out endeavouring to trace the exact locality. Nearly every claim on the reef has made a start at work, and sinking is being pushed on with as fast as it is possible. The prospectors' shaft on the Cosmopolitan (Greenwood and party) are still working day and night shifts. They are down forty feet, but have not got the reef yet. I believe it is their intention, when they get a little deeper, to drive for the reef. Worthy's party in the Enterprise are making good progress; so also are Dooley and party on the Humbug. Mr. J. Colls still continues to get gold from the stone in his claim on the Little Wonder. I have seen with Mr. Sheekey a very good specimen of gold-bearing stone, procured from No. 3 South Humbug. He has taken the stone to Yass, and I believe it can be seen at his shop in Cooma-street. In this claim they are down ten feet. The sinking is through what appears to be a very hard red sandstone. It is one of the most laborious shafts to sink on the reef. They appear to have tapped a spring, which has also proved troublesome. Yesterday a piece of quartz from Mr. Colls's claim on the Little Wonder, which showed on surface a small speck of gold, was broken up by a gentleman in town, and the pieces showed that the stone was highly auriferous. They were the best specimens we have as yet seen from the Nanama reefs. We understand it is intended in a few days to forward half a ton of quartz from Worth's claim on the Enterprise to Sydney to be tested. The shaft is now down over forty feet. In Mr. T. Colls's five-acre lease the shaft is down nearly fifty feet, and yesterday the reef was struck. A piece of quartz from the new reef referred to by our correspondent was roughly crushed by Mr. George Davis the other day, and showed a most excellent prospect. The stone is very dark in colour, and the gold very fine.

TIN.

There has lately been so much said about the wonderful richness of the claims on the Sugarloaf Creek and its tributary gullies that the correspondent of the *Border Post* recently paid a visit to the neighbourhood, with a view to ascertain the state of things there. He says:—We had not before this visit seen Mr. Arbuin's 200-acre block, which is situated on the left of the main creek, and some little distance back from it, just where it takes a sharp turn about three quarters of a mile above Laird's Hotel. The country here is a succession of low alluvial spurs converging from all directions towards the creek, and between them gullies broadening out till they become swampy flats at the lower end. Mr Arbuin will not commence work in real earnest till after the arrival of a large supply of mining gear, ordered in Tenterfield, and in the meanwhile he is engaged in thoroughly testing his property. We went all over the ground and found that a number of holes had been opened in various places, both in the swamps and on the spurs, and everywhere the tin was showing in considerable quantities. The wash is composed of rotten micaceous granite and clay, and so stiff as to require thorough puddling before sluicing. The ore for the most part is very coarse and but slightly waterworn, which leads one to the conclusion that there must be a lode in the mountains above. In richness of washdirt this claim does not appear equal to many on the Sugarloaf, but it has an immense advantage over them in the large proportionate area of tin bearing land. Starting down the creek we first came to Messrs. Laird and Murray's selection of 140 acres, close to the old sheep station, and a few chains above the Sugarloaf Hotel. Here, and for some distance lower down, Mr. Gregory gave double frontages, thinking that the water was not permanent—a decision very favourable to selectors. They have been working for the last month with from six to seven hands, and have been washing over half a ton a day with one sluice box. The wash is really something wonderful in richness, and after seeing it one feels inclined to look down with contempt on anything yielding a pound or two to the dish. While we were there we saw two prospects, one giving 8 and the other about 14 lbs. to the dish. This kind of thing cannot be expected to extend all over the ground, but wherever they have tried they have got half-a-pound at a depth of two or three feet. Messrs. Laird, Murray, and Shannon's is the next claim, and then Mr. Dickson's, Messrs. Agnew and Wilson's, Mr. Lord's, &c. Since work has in all cases been progressing steadily, and the day's average produce is from five to eight cwt, with a maximum of eight hands. Whatever we may have thought before, we now certainly cannot question the fact that the Sugarloaf is good, and if there is anything that can beat it it must be really first-rate. Although the present results on the different claims are much about the same, the upper ones must undoubtedly eventually prove the most valuable, as they have a large extent of made ground, whereas lower down the workings are almost confined to the end of the creek. At the request of the managers of the Severn and Kastira Companies we paid them a visit this week. These claims, which are situated on the Severn River, were, together with the property of the Rialto Tin Mining Company, taken up by Mr. Hardacre, whose original intention was to form them all into one company, but as the total area amounted to 1680 acres, which is more than is allowed by the Queensland Act of Parliament to any one company, it was found necessary to break them up into three and bring them out separately. At the Severn Tin Mining Company's ground, Mr. Doorey is in charge, a gentleman who has had more than twenty years' experience in mining, and under whose management the property seems to have been most efficiently opened out. He has only been on the spot six weeks, and in that time has effected wonders. The claim has an area of 640 acres, with 1½ mile of river frontage. On the upper end a race over 20 chains long has been cut—a considerable portion of it through solid rock—which drains off a long stretch of the river. At the head of the race a flood-gate has been fixed to regulate the supply of water to the sluice-boxes. The stripping has been heavy—from 10 to 12 feet—with from two to three feet of washdirt; some very rich, as much as twenty buckets having been washed with two sluice-boxes in the day of eight hours. Ten tons of ore have been sent away, and there are now on hand three tons more. At the lower end a strong dam has been made, giving command of a fine head of water, and on the east bank a large flume has been fixed, with a sluice-gate, which by means of a canvas hose, supplies water for sluice-boxes fifty yards away, and close to the heaps of washdirt—thus saving the labour of wheeling barrows to and fro. On the west bank flumes have been fixed for a similar purpose. Some extensive races have been opened, and a good deal of work done at the end built. A substantial weatherbuilt office has been built, with all necessary internal fittings, and also a slab building, to be used as an "ore house," the arrangements for drying and bagging, which are very complete. The stove is built inside, and the wet ore, on being brought up by cart, is emptied from the buckets through a flue in the wall into a large box capable of holding four tons, from which a man takes it and places it on the drying plate, and, when dry, puts it into a box of the same size, lined with iron, on the opposite side of the stove, from which it runs, when cool, through a trap-door into the bags—a handy and labour saving method. The manager's house is now in course of erection, and a six-horse power engine and centrifugal pump are now on the way up from Sydney. A fine tin-streamer, on an improved principle, has recently been added, by means of which a small boy can easily clean a ton of ore a day. The number of hands now employed is about forty, and our account will show that Mr. Doorey is using their labour to some purpose. The Kastira Company has an area of 600 acres, with a frontage to the river 1¼ mile. Here there are twenty-seven men working at the lower end of the claim, and proceeding steadily upwards—as operations have been temporarily suspended higher up, pending the arrival of steam pumping engines, which are rendered necessary owing to the large influx of water. Our visit was made at a rather unfortunate time, as the washdirt then being raised was nothing wonderful either in quantity or quality. Mr. M'Candlish, the manager, very wisely prefers taking everything as it comes in order, provided that it appears to be payable, and just now he has come to a nasty rocky bar, beyond which we may expect the drift to be much deeper. Outside the hut we observed a bucket containing ore which appeared to have been imperfectly cleaned. We were informed, however, that the contents of this and two other similar buckets had not been put through the sluice-boxes at all, but had been taken out just as we saw it. The buckets will contain 185 lbs. of ore, and the stuff we saw in them weighed 175 lbs. This is something uncommonly like shovelling pure tin out of the ground. Mr. M'Candlish employs a different kind of sluice box from any we have seen elsewhere, and one for which he claims the advantage of being able to put through a larger amount of stuff than with the ordinary style. It is made slightly taper, being 17 inches at the head and only 14 inches at the lower end. The bottom is lined throughout with sheet iron, and the sides are made stronger and wider than usual, so as to enable the forker to walk up and down with one foot on either side, pushing the fork before him. The water falls from a height of about eighteen inches, and the large stones are just held under it for a second before being thrown out, so as to remove any particles of ore that may be adhering to them. We paid a visit to the Lady Normanby Tin Mining Company's ground, and there met Mr. Tyrel, who, with his usual urbanity, showed us what was going on. This claim is situated on Quart Pot Creek and some seven miles above Stanthorpe, just above the hill known as the Sugarloaf. It adjoins the claim of the Hon. G. Harris, mentioned in our report of the 20th July. At that time the Lady Normanby Company were not working, so received no mention, but since then a great deal has been done, and we believe that under the present auspices work will go a-head. At the head of the claim is a paddock in which we found the stripping rather heavy. On the top for some three feet is a thick black clay in which no tin is found as far as we know. Then for some eight or nine feet is a fine drift sand, and at a depth of some twelve feet the wash is reached of some eighteen inches to two feet in thickness. We saw a prospect washed out of this paddock which yielded about 1½ lbs. to the dish of very bright and fine ruby ore. Within a dozen yards of this paddock, and just below, is the end of a splendid waterhole nearly 400 yards in length, which, having been carefully sounded, is found to be 11 feet deep in the deepest part, and though the paddock reaches to some three feet below its level, the water does not come through in such quantities as to hinder the working. We believe that samples have been dredged from the bottom of this hole which have yielded excellent returns, so that when the company sees fit to empty it no doubt it will be well repaid for its outlay. At the lower end of the hole and the claim we saw a prospect washed from some workings, the yield being between one and two pounds to the dish. Here we found a large heap of splendid wash dirt stacked. We examined it carefully, and the tin ore is seen everywhere all through it. The stripping is not so heavy here, not more, we should think, than six feet to bottom. The wash is of the well known cement character, and will require puddling, and we are glad to inform our readers that the erection of a machine for that purpose will at once be proceeded with. The present object of the manager seems to have been a thorough testing of the ground.

COPPER.

We have to record another (the third) discovery of copper ore in the Queanbeyan district. In the present instance Mr. M. Hayes, of Micalago, was the discoverer, and he has, we hear, been offered and taken £50 for his discovery, with a promise of some further advantages if a company is formed for working the lode. Messrs D. Ryrie and W. Farrer are the purchasers. The lode is on Crown land, and doubtless the gentlemen referred to have ere this secured their purchase by taking out a mineral lease. With reference to the Gundaroo River lode, there is nothing new to report save that the quantity of ore taken by Mr. Wright to Sydney for assay being insufficient for a satisfactory proof as to the probable value of the lode, a larger quantity is being sent away, and is to all appearance likely to yield a large percentage of copper. The copper lode known as Royal's Mine has changed hands—at least as far as three out of the four leaseholders are concerned, who lately sold their interest for £65. The purchasers have since put the mine into the market, and have succeeded in raising a capital of £4000 by the sale of 200 shares at £20 each.—*Age*, 19th.

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

ALEXANDRIA.—A meeting of the Council was held on Wednesday, the 4th instant, at half-past 7 p.m. Present—The Mayor (Mr. G. Bretnall) and full Council. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. A letter from Major Lowe, enclosing subscription lists for the International Exhibition of 1873, was read and received on the motion of Alderman Bryant, seconded by Alderman Osborne. The chairman of the Finance Committee (Alderman Dart) then brought up a report, recommending the payment of sundry accounts amounting to £20 12s. 6d., which was ordered to be paid on the motion of Alderman Feckett, seconded by Alderman Wood. After a long discussion relative to the opening of a road from King's Clear to the Botany Road, it was moved by Alderman Bryant, and seconded by Alderman Osborne,—"That the whole Council attend the Conference meeting to be held in the Newtown Council Chambers on Tuesday the 10th instant, respecting the same." Carried by the casting vote of the Mayor. A letter from the Council of St. Peters respecting the bad state of the Waterloo Road, which was ordered to stand over from last meeting night, was then considered. Moved by Alderman Bryant, and seconded by Alderman Osborne,—"That the Improvement Committee examine the road and report thereon." Carried. Moved by Alderman Bryant, and seconded by Alderman Osborne,—"That 2s 6d per ton be paid for breaking metal." Carried. Moved by Alderman Bryant, and seconded by Alderman Osborne,—"That the Mayor be empowered to employ Mr. Long to fill up the hollow in Garden-street South." Carried. There being no further business, the Council rose."

MARRICKVILLE.—The usual fortnightly meeting of the Council took place at half-past 7 p.m. on the 16th instant. Present—Aldermen Clapin, Cook, De Boos, Graham, Moseley, Moyes, Pfoeffer, and Robertson. On the motion of Alderman Robertson, Alderman Graham occupied the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. The following correspondence was then read:—1. From the Council Clerk of St. Peters, requesting that the Marrickville Council will carry out the repairs on the Unwin's Bridge Road. The clerk was directed to inform the clerk of St. Peters Council that the repairs will be completed as soon as possible. Alderman De Boos, as Chairman of the Finance Committee, brought up a report from that committee, recommending payment of sundry accounts amounting to £12 6s. 6d. This report was received, and at a later period of the evening was adopted and payment authorised. Alderman Robertson, as chairman of the Committee for Works, brought up the following reports from that committee:—1st. Reporting that the committee had met the Committee for Works of the Petersham Council, with a view to completing the culvert on the Stanmore Road, and that both committees had decided that it would be better that each Council should complete their portion of the culvert and road. 2. Recommending that a further sum of £12 be expended in the formation of Tupper-street. Both the above reports were adopted. Moved by Alderman Robertson, seconded by Alderman De Boos, and carried unanimously,—"That Alderman Graham be appointed acting Mayor in the absence of the Mayor (Alderman Tesson)." Moved by Alderman De Boos, seconded by Alderman Robertson, and carried,—"That Alderman Robertson and Alderman De Boos be deputed to make inquiries as to the cost of opening the road to connect Middle-street with Broad-street." The Council then rose.—G. C. TOMPSON.

MINERAL LEASES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—I have read with much satisfaction the letter in your issue of the 19th, from the Hon. J. Robertson—as I feel the tendency of his arguments is entirely with myself, "Tinfoil," and others, though there appears some difficulty as to the means that can legitimately be used to bring about the desired result.

Mr. Robertson says that the demanding "a large portion of the second year's rent before it falls due" has not hitherto been complained of. There is no doubt, as I asserted in my previous letter, that the Regulations of 1861 were good *before* those excited times, commencing with 1872, and had not therefore been "complained of." But there are very exceptional times, and their effect is to bring about difficulties that are very reasonably "complained of." I maintain that justice demands our total exemption from any second payments on account of rent unless we have been put in possession of the lands applied for, and therefore, what "might have been arranged" as payments "during the second year" should have been so arranged for the public good, as, under any circumstances, with present rush or without it, the payments were equally secure.

The public will be glad of Mr. Robertson's opinion that the second payment is not compulsory, and that "the holder of a lease can, if he chooses, go on working until the complete year is exhausted from the date of approval of his holding." This is one step in the right direction, but it is insufficient when the present facts are considered of the inability on the part of the Crown to survey and give possession. It is on these that the public complain. Their money is a second time demanded, under penalties, before it is known whether they will have the land as applied for, and when some firmly believe (so firmly that it is only short of being positive in many instances) that they will not get it at all, and when they know that others disputing their right are also called upon to liquidate their individual liability, and are thus putting into the Treasury a double (may be a treble) rent for the same land, I merely ask can this be right, can it be just?

Had the Government kept pace with the times—or, in other words, been able to do for the public during the year 1872, as they did previously, no complaints would have been made; but, as they, and they only, are at fault, it becomes urgent that the position of the public, severely prejudiced by delays, should be considered, and the Crown rights temporarily relaxed. I do not think such can be asserted to be unconstitutional, as in all cases when the Crown have performed their part of the contract, the applicants will perform theirs. Those who have been fortunate enough to secure surveys, and are satisfied with their selections, will not demur to the second payment this month.

It can hardly be doubted, therefore, that the right course to pursue will be, not only not to make demand for rents, but to forego the penalties of forfeiture in all cases where applicants have not been put in possession of their land; all such unsatisfied holders of applications being liable for the balance of the second year's rent on the first anniversary of their applications.

The other points of Mr. Robertson's letter give a satisfactory reply to the doubt naturally possessing the public mind, though I dare question the policy of closing the Head Office in Sydney on Thursdays, to the manifest advantage of the country offices, and consequent prejudice of the Sydney capitalist, who by this plan may be led into taking up lands on Friday that have previously been selected on Thursday, and his money becomes then a patriotic subscription to the revenue; while, should the selector on Thursday happen to take out land that had previously been applied for in Sydney on Wednesday, his money is returned to him. If all leases and selections could be taken out in the local lands offices, all in their respective districts, how much of trouble and loss and annoyance would be saved.

STROKE OAR.

THE LAW REFORM COMMISSION.

A DIALOGUE IN VERSE AND PROSE.
(See Alice's Looking-glass.)

I SET some legal swells a task;
I told them, "This is what I ask;"
They answer'd, "To reform the laws
Is not a pleasant job, because——"

I said, "I'll give you a Commission;
Pray act with vigour and decision."
They answer'd, "Though the job is stiff,
"We'll try to grapple with it, if——"

I waited years one two and three,
I ask'd at length their work to see.
"Our work is finish'd," they replied;
"We're tired of sitting, and beside——"

"All ends in smoke" was my retort;
"Is there not even a Report?"
"We did report, on Crimes," said they,
"But for the rest, et cetera——"

I said, "O! peddling, dawdling crew
"Was this the utmost you could do?"
They answer'd, winking, "If we chose
We would do wonders; but suppose——"

I said—"Abuses past defence
Stink in the nostrils of plain sense."
Said they "The smell of cash, you know,
Is pleasant to the wise, although——"

I urged "You cannot mean to say
There is no cure for Law's delay?"
They drawl'd "We do not seem to see it;
Most haste may make worst speed; howbeit—"

"At least," I told them with a frown,
"You might have cut expenses down."
They shook their heads—"If legal traps
Required no oil, why, then perhaps—"

I pleaded, "Take a broader view;
Think of the many, not the few."
They chuckled, "Very right; but yet—
Whereas—to wit—videlicet—."

I shouted, "If you won't reform,
I ook out, you Lawyers, for a storm."
They smiled "The public will or whim
May make warm work—sed interim—"

"Some day," I thunder'd, waxing hot,
"Your whole S. C. will go to pot."
They calmly said—"Perhaps it will,
But *contra*, it may last, until——"

And here the White Queen—I think her name was Australia—came to a full stop.

"Is that all?" said Alice.

"Why, what more would you have?" said the White Queen. "Lawyers are like Quakers; you can't expect a direct answer from them."

"I don't know about Quakers," said Alice; "but I thought the lawyers would have known what to do."

"That's just the beauty of it," said the Queen. "They are too knowing by half."

"But," persisted Alice, "surely your poem, or song, or story, or whatever you call it, might have had some end."

"But it was an Equity poem," said the Queen, "so there could be no end to it. Were you ever in Chancery?"

"No," said Alice; "but I was once locked up in a dark, dusty closet; and I went without my dinner, and I thought I should never get out."

"Ah! but you *did* get out," said the White Queen; "and you only lost one day's dinner. A law suit isn't like that. Get what the lawyers call 'a beautiful case,' and it will go on, and on, and on! 'Sle, sle, slud, stuck in the mud.' 'See saw, Margery Daw, sold her bed when she went to law.' 'One, two, going to sue. Three, four, find it a bore. Five, six, left in a fix.' Bless your heart, I know the way of it. And you're half-starved all the time."

"But," said Alice, meekly, for she was rather awed by the amount of quotation, "if things are so very, very bad, why don't the clever people try to make them better?"

"Why," said the White Queen, "what a little ignoramus you are! That's just what the Law Reform Commission was for. Of course they were just the right people to do it. Set the blackbirds to grub up the gooseberry bushes. But now you see they're 'functi officio.' That's law latin, for 'they've funked their duties.' It's like Billy Pringle's pig. 'When he was alive, he sued in trover; now he's dead, and that's all over.'"

"I don't like law latin," said Alice, "but if the Commission is dead, I don't see why Law Reform should be all over."

"Ah!" sighed the Queen, "there's the puzzle of living backwards. You see, the Commission came to an end first; and some six months hence we shall make up our minds what we want them to do; or perhaps some day some of their work may be done."

"I hope that will be soon," exclaimed Alice.

"About the Greek Kalends, you little goose!"

"I don't know Greek," said Alice, rather pettishly "please tell me in English."

"About Never-come-Sunday," said the White Queen.

THE REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF LORDS ON APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

(*From the Standard.*)

IT will be remembered that when, in April last, the House of Lords shelved the Lord Chancellor's crude and unsatisfactory Supreme Court of Appeal Bill, a select committee was appointed comprising twenty-six peers, among whom were, of course, all the law lords, "to inquire into the working of the appellate jurisdiction exercised by the House, and into the working of the system of appeal to her Majesty in Council, and whether any and what changes shall be made in reference thereto." The committee met eight times, and examined several witnesses, among whom were Sir Barnes Peacock, Sir H. S. Maine, the Lord Advocate, and Mr. E. S. Gordon, M.P. At the conclusion of the evidence a series of resolutions, to be embodied in the report, were proposed by Lord Cairns, and another by the Lord Chancellor; but the committee adopted the resolutions of Lord Cairns, with some slight alterations and additions. Accordingly the report, after stating that "it appears that the jurisdiction of the House of Lords is highly valued by her Majesty's subjects in Scotland, and that this jurisdiction of her Majesty in Council is regarded with similar favour in India and the colonies," declares that "the present state of the appellate business in your Lordships' House is, in the opinion of the committee, satisfactory. There is no arrear of cases undisposed of in previous sessions, and many cases set down for hearing in the present session have been already heard. The attendance of legal members of the House in the hearing of appeals has been larger of late years than formerly was the case, and the testimony, which, by the report of the committee in 1856, was stated to have been generally borne to the wisdom and impartiality with which the law had been therefore administered by this tribunal would not, as your committee think, be less applicable to the period which has elapsed since that time." The report then proceeds thus:—

"The principal objections which the committee understand to be raised to the constitution and practice of these two great appellate tribunals are as follows:—

"1. That there is no security that two co-ordinate tribunals of final appeal in the application of general principles of jurisprudence, and still more in the administration of the same system of law, may not arrive at conclusions inconsistent or antagonistic.

"2. That (as regards the House of Lords) there is not a certainty that a sufficient number of legal members of this House, trained by judicial and forensic experience, will attend the hearing of appeals, and that there is not a security that members of the House not having such experience will not take part in such hearing.

"3. That as regards the House of Lords, delay is occasioned by the circumstance that the House does not sit for a considerable portion of the year, when the ordinary courts of law and equity are open.

"4. That more expense is occasioned, especially as regards the remuneration of counsel, under the present system, than if there was one Supreme Appellate Tribunal sitting throughout the judicial year, assisted by a bar making practice before that tribunal its principal object."

The committee then say that these objections, so far as they are well founded, can be removed in the manner indicated by the resolutions to which the committee have agreed, but which they wish to be taken as a mere outline of the alterations they would recommend.

The resolutions begin with one affirming the expediency of constituting a Judicial Committee, to be at once the Judicial Committee of the House of Lords and of the Privy Council, to sit during the judicial year, and take all appeals which now lie either to the Queen in Council or the House of Lords. The resolutions then recommend the committee should consist of the Lord Chancellor, four salaried members, and the following *ex officio* members:—All ex-Chancellors and peers who have been judges of the superior courts of England, Ireland, or Scotland, and the following Judges:—The Lord Chief Justice of England, the Master of the Rolls, the Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, the Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, and the Lords Justices. Besides this, there should be two Indian assessors, who must have held judicial office in India, and who are to receive £1000 a-year, from the revenue of India, over and above any pension they may be in receipt of.

The salaried members should have £7000 a year, and be privy councillors. If not already peers, they should have life peerages conferred on them, should sit in the House of Lords for judicial purposes only, and not for legislative purposes. The qualifications for a salaried member should be these: he must be an ex-Chancellor, or have been for not less than two years a Judge of one of the superior Courts of law or equity in England or Ireland, or a Lord of Session in Scotland, or a Chief Justice of Bengal.

The resolutions recommended that three Lords of Appeal should constitute a quorum, and that the committee should be enabled to sit in two divisions of not less than three members. The salaried members should be bound to attend, and there should be power to compel the attendance of *ex officio* members, if necessary, with three provisos—that no *ex officio* member should be required to attend more than twenty days in the year, or if prevented by reasonable cause, or if over seventy years of age, unless holding judicial office. The committee should have the same power of requiring the attendance of the Judges as is now possessed by the House of Lords.

As to the powers of the committee, it is recommended that they should have power to affirm, reverse, or vary any judgment, and that their report, together with any decree or order which they may have made, should, if the appeal be to her Majesty in Council, be submitted to her Majesty in Council, and entered as an order of her Majesty in Council; and if the appeal is to the House of Lords, the report should be to the House of Lords, and the decree or order should be entered as an order of the House of Lords.

Finally, it is recommended that frivolous appeals should be checked, by prohibiting appeals without special leave where the subject matter is below a certain value.

The scheme indicated by the resolutions of the select committee is one which ought to meet with universal approval. Without taking away from her Majesty in Council or from the House of Lords their present appellate jurisdiction, it provides that that jurisdiction shall be properly exercised by entrusting it to a Supreme Court of Appeal, which must command the respect and confidence of both the public and the legal profession. Of course, holes can be picked in the principles of the scheme so sketched out, and some of its details will require reconsideration. Of the latter we may instance the questionable policy of taking the salaries of the Indian assessors out of the revenues of India instead of out of the Imperial revenue, and the necessity of putting the other Indian Chief Justices upon the same footing as the Chief Justice of Bengal, which was done in the case of the last Judicial Committee Act. As an example of the former process we may quote the quibble of the Lord Chancellor that a report to the House of Lords "will not give any reality to the judgments as being those of the House, unless the House has power to revise them, which would be intolerable." The answer to this is obvious—Under the new system the judgments in appeals to the House of Lords would be those of the House of Lords in exactly the manner and to exactly the same extent that the judgments in appeals to her Majesty in Council are under the present system those of her Majesty in Council, and as the Royal answer to an address to the Crown is the Royal answer.

It is of course too late in the present session for the resolutions in the report to be introduced in a bill, but unless that course is taken at the commencement of next session, the Government will be guilty of an obvious breach of duty to the country and a disregard of the wishes of the House of Lords.

BONDED STOCKS.

Sydney.—Week ending September 20, 1872.

Description.		Stock on hand September 13, 1872.	Received into Stock.	Delivered for Home Consumption.	Delivered for Exportation.	Stock on hand September 20, 1872.
Rum—W.I. ....gals.		101,349	2,828	3,069	115	100,993
Queensland..		13,146	...	793	...	12,353
Foreign		10,635	...	51	...	10,584
All other Spirits		3,185	...	134	14	3,037
Brandy		329,144	16,402	6,086	4,596	328,864
Geneva		172,205	...	2,602	4,890	164,713
Whisky		26,530	...	819	489	25,222
Liqueurs		2,338	120	52	51	2,355
Gin		10,654	...	8	174	10,472
Wine		142,355	8,940	2,074	1,427	147,794
Manufactured Tobacco.	Half-Tierces..	48	...	5	9	34
	lbs.	15,004	...	1,876	3,221	9,907
	Qr.-Tierces ..	311	...	21	27	263
	lbs.	74,636	...	5,33[illegible]	6,448	62,856
	½-bxs. and bxs.	1,707	17	[illegible]	14	1,701
	lbs.	181,567	1,802	86	1,643	180,664
	Cases	477	3	1	5	464
	lbs.	93,261	872	2,190	810	90,824
	Rephs.—pkgs.	105	...	1	15	89
	lbs.	5,483	...	21	351	5,111
Leaf Tobacco.	Hhds and cks.	81	...	4	...	77
	lbs.	59,864	...	4,862	...	55,002
	Cases	...	1	1	...	...
	lbs.	...	48	48	...	...
	Bales	178	...	...	...	178
	lbs.	26,155	...	...	...	26,155
Cigars.	Cases	184	69	9	1	243
	lbs.	16,955	6,779	784	69	22,881
	Rephs.—pkgs.	16	4	1	3	16
	lbs.	398	141	11	44	484
Snuff ....pkgs.		4	...	...	...	4
	lbs.	698	...	...	...	698
Tea ....lbs.		968,256	16,438	151,224	13,451	819,999
Chicory		57,563	...	7,840	11,200	38,523
Opium		4,801	...	204	...	4,597
Kerosene Oil ...gals.		31,837	...	12,248	4,080	15,509

Sugar.—Stock on hand 13th September, 239 tons 15 cwt.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 20 tons 7 cwt. 2 qrs.; delivered for exportation, 12 cwt. 2 qrs.; stock on hand 20th September, 218 tons 14 cwt. 3 qrs.

Coffee.—Stock on hand 13th September, 31 tons 15 cwt.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 2 tons 7 cwt. 2 qrs.; delivered for exportation, 5 cwt.; stock on hand 20th September, 28 tons 19 cwt. 1 qr.

STOCK AND STATION REPORT.

JOHN A. TURNER.—Stations: Many inquiries for small compact cattle and sheep properties, and I could, after shearing, place the latter most advantageously. Fat Cattle: The market has been well supplied this week, over 1000 head having passed through the yards, the bulk of which, considering the bad state of the roads, arrived in good condition. On Monday the sales were far more spirited than on Thursday, and on the latter day a decline of fully 15s per head took place; but this is only temporary. The best draft offered was Comerford's, which, for weight and quality, could not be surpassed. The following are some of the averages:—Comerford's, £8 11s 4d; Fanning, Griffiths, and Co., £8 8s; Christian and Co., £6 11s, and a draft from Caldmurry, at £6 17s 3d. I quote prime bullocks from £10 to £11, prime cows from £5 10s to £8. Fat Sheep: The market is very bare of prime or good quality. I could command high rates for really prime or even good sheep.—September 20.

STONE DEAD.—The mortal remains of Mazzini, after the pretended burial at Genoa, have been intrusted to Professor Gorini, who has undertaken the complete petrifaction of them within eight months. To preserve the body for ages, and to give it all the appearance of life, has been in Italy the preoccupation of a number of scientific men. One may say that it is a study peculiar to that country, whereat has been followed for many centuries, and has produced incredible results. "Professor Gorini, whom, says the *Liberté*, "we have known personally, enjoys in this department uncontested notoriety. He possesses a museum of bodies and of anatomical pieces of the most curious kinds, which we have frequently been to see, and the merest superficial examination of which causes unutterable surprise. Certain mummifying preparations give to the body the strange property of resuming all the appearance of sleep after it has remained some hours in the water, and admit of the closest anatomical study of it. Other preparations give to the body the hardness of stone and enable it to resist humidity, the inclemency of the seasons, and the combined action of heat and cold. The remains of Mazzini, in the hands of this skilful operator, will escape disorganization, and retain the sublime expression of the last hour."—*Courrier des Etats Unis.*

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—It is now conclusively established that no other Oil can possibly produce the same beneficial effects as Dr. de Jongh's Oil on the consumptive invalid. Allen G. Chattaway, Esq., Surgeon, of Leominster, in recording its efficacy in consumption, writes:—"Having for some years extensively used Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil, both in public and private practice, I have no hesitation in stating that its effects are very far superior to those of any other Cod Liver Oil." Sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists, druggists, and storekeepers. Sole Consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London.—ADV.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—September 21.

U. S. war steamer Narragansett, 7 guns, Commander R. W. Meade, from a cruise.

September 22.

John Penn (s.), 200 tons, Captain Sheed, from Merimbula. Passengers—Mrs. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. and Miss Hide, Mrs. and Miss Chisey, Mrs. Thompson, Messrs. Turner, Joseph, and 6 in the steerage. I. S. N. Co., agents.

Pacific, schooner, 60 tons, Captain Kerr, from Maryborough 13th instant. Captain, agent.

John Knox, barque, 291 tons, Captain Jenkins, from Lyttelton 7th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Jenkins, Miss Wilson, Miss Allen, Mrs. Enwood, Messrs. Price, Child, Newman Sherman, Wheeler, Hardy, and Day. Captain, agent.

Martha Jane, schooner, 86 tons, Captain Brown, from Circular Head 14th instant. C. B. Bond, agent.

Chaa Sze, ship, 620 tons, Captain Brown, from Adelaide 10th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Jones and family, Mrs. Morris and son, Mrs. Vipen, Mrs. Thomas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Prosser and son.

Leichardt (s.), 600 tons, Captain Saunders, from Cleveland Bay 14th, via Port Mackay 18th instant. Passengers—Mr. Gilhooly, and 8 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Fire King (s.), 171 tons, Captain Hersee, from the Manning 21st instant. Passengers—Mrs. Hamilton, Miss M'Lennan, Mrs. Healy, Messrs. Collopy, Macracken, Belford, Day. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

Diamantina (s.), 240 tons, Captain Maides, from the Macleay, via Port Macquarie, 18th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Griffing, Mrs. Mathieson and family, Mrs. Row, Mrs. Smith, Miss Poole, Miss Steele, Miss Pickering, Miss Ormiston, Messrs. Smith, Mathieson, H. Brown, Ormiston, Coley, Jones, Masters Row and Ormiston, and 4 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

September 23.

Bangalore (s.), 1200 tons, Captain Burne, from Galle, via Melbourne 20th instant. Passengers—From Southampton: Mr. and Mrs. French, Paymaster Nettleton (R.N.), Messrs. J. Campbell, W. Caiot, A. Sullivan, E. Brown, (R.N.). From Brindisi: Messrs. Davenport, Hinchliff. From Suez: E. and H. de Satge. From Madras: Mr. M'Lauchlan. From Galle: Messrs. Heurteaux, Lecombi. From Melbourne: Bishop of Melbourne, Mrs. Perry and servant, Messrs. Gotthelp, W. Allen, Edwarden, Liversidge, J. Leffrey. H. Moore, agent.

DEPARTURES.—September 21.

Au Revoir, for Maryborough.
Wonga Wonga (s.), for Cleveland Bay.
City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne.

September 22.

Jessie Kelly, for New Caledonia.
Leonidas, for New Caledonia.
Juliet, for San Francisco.
Lizzie and Rose, for Newcastle.
Defiance, for New Hebrides.
Mystery, for Brisbane.
Susannah Booth, for Cleveland Bay.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—September 23.

Helen Macgregor (s.), for Grafton; City of Brisbane (s.), for Brisbane; Balclutha (s.), for Maryborough.

CLEARANCES.—September 21.

Helen, schooner, 39 tons, Captain Gowans, for Melbourne.

Sarah Grice, ship, 1071 tons, Captain Green, for San Francisco, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Susannah Booth, schooner, 111 tons, Captain Clulow, for Cleveland Bay.

Mystery, schooner, 82 tons, Captain Irving, for Brisbane.

Wonga Wonga (s.), 662 tons, Captain Brown, for Cleveland Bay. Passengers—Mrs. Ayre and 4 children, Messrs. Ayre, W. M. Martin, T. Buckland, H. Drake, T. Mee, M. Morgan, M'Coy, Jones, Crown, and 250 in the steerage.

City of Adelaide (s.), 824 tons, Captain Walker, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. T. Grimwood, Miss Dwyer, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. R. H. Thatcher, Mrs. Hodgkiss, Miss E. Don, Messrs. W. T. Condell, Capel, P. J. Collins, Goldspink, Kelly, R. Barnard, J. Ratcliffe, E. M'Donnell, Lyttleton, Parker, Wenboon, R. H. Thatcher, Leishman, A. Shaw, J. Campbell, Hodgkiss, F. W. Donkin, Captain Dumaresq, De Pass, Bright, and 16 in the steerage.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—September 21.

Clara Crawford, Yarra, for Newcastle; Eagle, for Wollongong; Eliza, May, Marquis of Lorne, Rose and Thistle, for the Manning River; Peterborough Lass, for Shellharbour; Confidence, for Port Macquarie; Peri, for Kiama.

IMPORTS.—September 22.

Leichardt (s.), from Cleveland Bay: 58 hides, R. Towns and Co.; 2 bales skins, 4 casks tallow, 42 hides, Bridges; 1 package, Woolnough and Co.; 3 casks tallow, 1 bundle skins, A. J. S. Bank; 5 bags ore, E. Vickery; 22 bales wool, City Bank; 6 casks tallow, 85 hides, Gilchrist, Watt, and Co; 344 mats sugar, W. Sloane; 76 hogsheads rum, 2334 mats sugar, Order.

Pacific, from Maryborough: 35,000 feet timber.

Martha Jane, from Circular Head: 107 tons potatoes.

John Knox, from Lyttelton: 1350 bags wheat, 110 cheeses, 360 bags malt, 177 bags oatmeal, 90 casks cement, 136 hides, 43 bags carrots, 4 casks tallow, 78 packages.

Chaa Sze, from Adelaide: 6847 sacks flour, 545 bags wheat, 122 bags salt, 100 tons copper ore.

EXPORTS.—September 21.

Helen, for Melbourne: 400 bags maize.

Susannah Booth, for Cleveland Bay: 60 cases kerosene, 232 cases wines and spirits, 114 bags sugar, 2 casks fuse, 180 packages beer, 20 cases jam, 40 packages tea, 300 bags bran, 200 bags maize, 154 kegs blasting powder, 719 packages iron, 46 packages steel, 18 axle arms, 132 dray boxes, 13 grindstones, 32 kegs nails, 2 drays, 188 packages.

SHIPS' MAILS.

Mails will close at the General Post Office as follows:—

For Brisbane.—By the City of Brisbane (s.), this day, at 10 a.m.

For Auckland.—By the Prince Alfred, this day, at noon.

For Maryborough and Rockhampton.—By the Balclutha (s.), this day, at 4.30 p.m.

For Normanton.—By the Hannah Broomfield, this day, at 6 p.m.

For Grafton.—By the Helen Macgregor (s.), this day, 7.30 p.m.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards, September 21: Kembla (s.), 300 tons, Captain Eedy, for Melbourne via Wollongong; Sarah Grice, ship, 1071 tons, Captain Green, for San Francisco via Newcastle; Lord Ashley (s.), 296 tons, Captain Bristowe, for Cleveland Bay; James Hannell, barque, 475 tons, Captain Martin, for Adelaide.

The Kembla (s.) has been chartered to convey coal hence to Melbourne, for the Northumberland (s.).

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Bangalore arrived this morning at 1·30, being in advance of the contract time by four and a-half days. The Bangalore experienced heavy trades and light head winds from Galle to King George's Sound; from King George's Sound, moderate fair weather, wind from W. to N.W. to Melbourne. Passed the Tanjore, (s.) on 16th instant, steering for King George's Sound. Left Melbourne on 20th, at 10·30 p.m., passed Port Phillip Heads on 21st, at 3 a.m., for the first twenty-four hours had calms and heavy rains, the rest of the passage fair weather, with strong tide against the ship; passed the Heads at midnight, arrived at Sydney at 1·10 a.m.; passed the Macedon (s.) at noon, on 22nd, bound for Sydney. The Bangalore has made the passage from Port Phillip in 45 hours, and we are indebted to the purser for the prompt delivery of our usual files and despatches.

The U. S. Narragansett, third-rate, 7 guns, Richard W. Meade, commanding, arrived from a cruise among the Islands, on Saturday. She left Honolulu on July 6, and visited in succession the following named islands:—Christmas Island, Baker Island, Byron Island, Drummond Island, Apaiang, Tarrawa, Arhno Island, Milli Island, Ebon Island,—which was the last visited, and she left on the 28th August,—making the passage under canvas most of the time, and completing it in 24 days. The Narragansett is a fine looking vessel, and has been employed for the last two years on the Pacific station; she will fully provision here, and will probably remain a month, and then visit Melbourne and New Zealand. She is heavily armed, and fully manned by 140 smart looking men, and the following officers—Commander, Richard W. Meade; Lieutenant Commander, Arthur H. Wright; Lieutenants—Zera S. Tanner, Isaac J. Yates, George J. Mitchell; Master, Edward D. Taussig; Ensign, Henry G. Handy; Midshipmen—George A. Calhaan, Miers F. Wright, Whitmul P. Ray, Fred. H. Lefavor; Assistant Surgeon, Henry C. Eckstein; P. A. Paymaster, George H. Griffing; 1st Assistant Engineer, John B. Carpenter; Boatswain, Thomas Savage; Gunner, John G. Foster; Captain's Clerk, Louis K. M'Grew; Pay Clerk, George B. Riemann.

The Aberdeen ship John Duthie has received very quick despatch in the discharge of her London freight, consisting of some 1800 tons of general cargo, the whole of which has been passed over the side by Mr. Nichols, the stevedore, in forty working hours.

The John Knox, barque, returned from her usual voyage to Lyttelton yesterday, after a passage of fourteen days. She has had moderate winds throughout.

The John Penn (s.), from Merimbula, brings the following cargo:—200 bags bark, 80 bags bacon, 509 cheese, 70 kegs butter, 3 cases eggs, 3 casks lard, 10 bales sheepskins, 200 cases maizena, and sundries.

The Wonga Wonga (s.), took her departure on Saturday morning for Cleveland Bay, carrying a full complement of passengers bound for the diggings, and was followed at 6 p.m by the City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne.

The Leichhardt (s.) left Cleveland Bay on the 14th, at 6 p.m.; arrived at Port Mackay on the 15th at 2.30 p.m.; left Mackay on the 18th, at 2.30 p.m.; on the 19th passed Cape Capricorn, at 11 a.m., Breaksea Spit at midnight; on the 20th Cape Moreton, at 5 p.m.; 21st, Smoky Cape, at 2.30 p.m.; midnight, Seal Rock Point; on the 22nd, Port Stephens, at 5 a.m.; entered Sydney Heads at 4 p.m. same day. Experienced strong head winds and high sea from Mackay to Breaksea Spit; thence to Cape Moreton, light airs and calms; from thence to Cape Hawke, moderate easterly winds and heavy N.E. and easterly swell; remainder of passage, strong southerly winds, heavy swell, and dull weather. Anchored alongside wharf at 5 p.m.

The Fire King (s.) crossed the Manning River bar on the 21st at 8.30 a.m., passed Seal Rocks at 1.30 p.m., and entered Sydney Heads on the 22nd at 6 a.m. Experienced northerly wind as far as Morna Point, thence strong S.W. winds. Cargo: 897 bags maize, 70 bags lime, 24 cases eggs, 10 bags potatoes, 6 bags bacon, 4 bags sugar, 15 hides, 39 pigs, 8 coops poultry, and sundries.

The Diamantina (s.) left the Macleay at 9 a.m. on the 18th instant, anchored in Trial Bay till 3 a.m. on the 19th, arrived in Port Macquarie at 9.30 a.m. on the same day, left again at 10.30 a.m. on the 20th, and arrived at Sydney at 5 p.m. on the 21st. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout. Cargo: 1122 bags maize, 20 tons sugar, 15 coops fowls, 30 cases eggs, 109 hides, 1 package beeswax, 1 bag hair, 3 casks 2 kegs wine, 9 bags horns, and sundries.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVALS.

September 20.—Ballina (s.), from Sydney.
September 20.—Havilah (s.), from Sydney.
September 20.—Celestia Queen, ship, Watt, from Auckland.
September 20.—Fairy Rock, brig, Wilkinson, from Sydney.

DEPARTURES.

September 20.—Ballina (s.), for the Clarence River.
September 20.—Glen Grove, barque, Leddra, for Lyttelton, with 875 tons coal, 107 cases oranges.
September 20.—Lanercost, barque, Eaton, for Adelaide, with 600 tons coal.

COASTERS INWARDS.

September 21.—Dart, Rebecca, Clara, Heron, Paterson, from Sydney.

ENGLISH SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

July—8, Hampshire, from Melbourne; 11, Bruckley Castle, from Sydney; 12, Tweed, from Sydney; 15, Harmodious from Moreton Bay, Agnes Muir from Lyttelton; 20, Royal Dane, from Brisbane; 21, Chile, from Port Underwood; Jessie Readman, from Otago, Agnes Rose, from Sydney; 26, Jewess, from Lyttelton; 27, Croydon, from Port Nolloth; 28, Duke of Edinburgh from Melbourne, City of Shanghai from Adelaide, Ponto Carvo from Swan River; 29, Girvan, from Adelaide; 30, Christian McAusland from Bluff Harbour, Ka Moi from Auckland.

August 6. At glossy, from Melbourne.

DEPARTURES.

FROM LONDON.

For Sydney.—July 11, Border Chief, William Duthie; 30, Hawkesbury; 25, Golden Sea, Ethiopian; August 2, Kosciusko. For Brisbane.—August 2, Runnymede. From Liverpool for Sydney.—July 26, Sam Mendel.

[By Electric Telegraph.]

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVAL.

September 20.—Bangalore (s.), from Galle.

DEPARTURES.

September 20.—Macedon (s.), Bangalore (s.), for Sydney; Jennie Oswald, for Newcastle.

SYDNEY HEADS.

Date.	Time.	Winds.	Remarks.
Sept. 21.	9.30 a.m.	W.S.W.	Light, and cloudy.
	Noon.	N.E.	Ditto, and ditto.
	5 p.m.	N.E.	Ditto, and ditto.
Sept. 22.	6.30 a.m.	S.	Light, and cloudy.
	Noon.	S.S.E.	Ditto, and ditto.
	5 p.m.	S.E.	Ditto, and ditto.

WINDS AND WEATHER.—September 21.

Queensland, 9 a.m.

Normanton—NE. Fine	Gladstone—Calm. Fine
Gilbert Town—NE. Fine	Rockhampton—SW. Fine
Etheridge—N.E. Fine	Maryborough—Calm. Fine
Cardwell—Calm. Fine	Roma—W., moderate. Fine
Townsville—Calm. Fine	Taroom—NE. Fine
Bowen—Calm. Fine	Brisbane—Calm. Fine, hot
Mackay—SE. Fine	Toowoomba—NE. Fine
Clermont—Calm. Fine	Warwick—Calm. Fine.

N. S. Wales.	9 a.m.	3 p.m.
Tenterfield	Calm. Fine, clear	W. Fine
Casino	Calm. Fine	E. Fine
Grafton	Calm. Dull	NE. Fine, warm
Clarence Heads	Calm. Hazy, sm. sea	ENE., fresh.
Glen Innes	Calm. Dull	E. Fine
Inverell	Calm. Fine	SE. Fine
Port Macquarie	NE. Fine	Calm. Fine
West Kempsey	W. Fine	SW. Cloudy
Armidale	SW. Fine	E. Dull
Tamworth	SW. Fine	W. Fine
Gunnedah	W. Fine	SW. Fine
Narrabri	NW. Fine	W. Fine
Wee Waa	NW. Fine	W. Fine
Pilliga	SW. Fine	NW. Fine
Muswellbrook	NW. Fine	NW. Fine
Murrurundi	Calm. Fine	W. Fine
Singleton	SE. Cloudy	Calm. Fine
Maitland	E. Dull, close, like rain	Calm. Cloudy, hot
Port Stephens	SW. Cloudy, no sea	NE. Fine, sea smooth
Newcastle	S. Cloudy, no sea	NE. Dull, sea smooth
Barrenjoey	SW. Fine	ENE. Fine
Windsor	W. Dull	NW. Fine, cloudy
Sydney	S., light. Cloudy	NW. Cloudy
South Head	S., light. Cloudy	NE. Fine, no sea
Wollongong	SSE. Cloudy	SE. Fine
Kiama	Calm. Cloudy	SE., light. Fine
Jervis Bay	S., light Raining	SE., light. Fine
Goulburn	SE. Showery	NW. Stormy
Braidwood	W. Dull, showery	NW. Fine, cloudy
Araluen	E. Raining	Calm. Cloudy, showery
Moruya	W. Raining	Calm. Cloudy, fine
Queanbeyan	Calm. Dull, overcast	W. Raining, overcast
Bombala	SE. Dull, showery	SE. Raining
Cooma	S. Showery	Calm. Raining
Eden	Calm. Raining	WSW., strong. Rain
Gabo Island	SSE., fog. Raining	SE., thick fog. Rain
Yass	Calm. Raining	Calm. Cloudy
Gundagai	Calm. Raining	Calm. Raining
Tumut	Calm. Cloudy	NW. Heavy rain
Kiandra	W. Raining	NW. Raining heavily
Albury	E. Raining	Calm. Cloudy
Mount Victoria	NE. Dull	W. Stormy
Bathurst	NW. Fine	W. Raining
Carcoar	SE. Fine	W. Raining
Hill End	NNE. Fine	W. Raining
Tambaroora	NNE. Fine	Calm. Cloudy
Mudgee	Calm. Fine	W. Cloudy
Gulgong	Calm. Fine, warm	SW. Cloudy
Cassilis	Calm. Fine	Calm. Cloudy
Merriwa	SE. Fine	W. Cloudy
Coolah	Calm. Fine	Calm. Cloudy
Wellington	SW. Fine	Calm. Cloudy
Dubbo	Calm. Fine, hot	Calm. Fine
Orange	NNW. Fine	W. Showery
Forbes	Calm. Cloudy, stormy	W. Raining
Grenfell	E. Showery	W. Raining heavily
Young	NW. Dull, cloudy	W. Raining
Wagga Wagga	W. Raining	W. Cloudy, raining
Urana	Calm. Raining	W. Raining
Deniliquin	SSE. Cloudy	SW., strong. Cloudy
Hay	W. Cloudy	Calm. Fine
Moulamein	SW. Strong, showery	W. Cloudy
Balranald	WSW. Cloudy	WSW. Cloudy
Euston	Calm. Like rain	SW., strong. Fine
Wentworth	SW. Cloudy	SE. Fine

Victoria.		Bar.	Ther.
Melbourne	ENE., light. Dull	29·913	47·2
Queenscliff	SSW. Overcast	30·00	52·
Cape Schanck	SSW., mod. Cloudy	29·78	54·
Cape Otway	SW., mod. Cloudy	29·801	56·
Portland	W., moderate. Cloudy	30·050	55·
South Australia.			
Guichen Bay	W. Fine	30·026	57·9
Adelaide	W. Fine	30·079	53·0
M'Donnell Bay	W. Fine		

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.

Latitude 33° 51' 41". Longitude 10h. 4 m. 49s.
Magnetic variation 9° 54' 12" East. 3rd September, 1872.
The time ball is dropped daily (Sundays excepted), at 1 p.m. Sydney mean time, or 2h. 55m. 11s. a.m. Greenwich mean time.

Meteorological Observations.

Barometers corrected to 32° Fahr., and to mean sea level.
Velocity of wind, measured in miles per hour, and the force deduced from velocity.
Rainfall and evaporation measured in inches.
Scales of { Humidity, 0 to 100. Cloudy sky, 0 to 10. Ozone, 0 to 10. }

September 20, 1872. Civil Reckoning.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature in Shade.	Humidity.	Wind Direction.	Velocity.	Force.	Cloudy Sky.	Rain.	Ozone.
A.M. 9	29·951	64·8	78	WNW.	0	0·0	10	0·00	10·0
P.M. 3	·893	63·6	82	S.	24	2·9	10		
9	30·017	59·0	93	S.	12	0·7	10		6·5
Mean	29·954	62·5	84·3		12	1·2	10·0		8·3

Evaporation in 24 hours, 0·111.

Self-registering Thermometers.

Shade { Maximum .... 73·9 | Sun—maximum .... 108·1
Minimum .... 59·0 | Grass—minimum .... 52·5 }

Thermometer, with black bulb in black wool, and protected from wind, maximum, 199·5 at ——.

Temperature of sea water, 3 feet below the surface, at Fort Denison, at 9 a.m., 59·7.

Total rainfall from January 1 to September 21, 22·894 inches.
Annual average of the preceding 13 years, 50·795 inches.
Average rainfall for the period January 1 to September 1 for previous 13 years, 40·955 inches.

Meteorological Stations.

Arranged in order of latitude, with distance from the coast, and height above sea, where it is known.
Only eleven of the stations have barometers and hygrometers.

Stations.	Least distance from East coast in miles	Height above sea in feet	Barometer.	Temper. in shade.	Humidity.	Wind Direction.	Wind Force.	Max.	Min.	Rain in inches.
			At 9 a.m.—Sept. 21, 1872.					For 24 hours previous to 9 a.m.		
Tenterf'ld	80		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	78·5	44·6	0
Grafton	22		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	80·2	58·3	0
Narrabri	196		—	—	—	NW.	—	87·9	61·5	0
Armidale	80	3278	—	52·2	57	SW.	1·0	57·2	52·1	0
P. M'q'rie	1		—	—	—	NE.	1·0	72·8	56·8	0
M'rr'rundi	94	1545	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	78·3	53·3	0
Cassilis	120		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	84·1	50·2	0
M's'l'brook	68	475	—	—	—	NW.	—	87·5	50·3	0
Dubbo	182		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	79·9	49·9	0
Mudgee	121		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	78·4	57·0	0
W. M't'land	18		—	—	—	E.	0·5	82·2	64·1	0
Newcastle	1	112	29·919	64·2	81	SW.	0·0	74·3	59·8	0
Orange	124	1891	—	—	—	NW.	9·0	72·6	53·6	0
Bathurst	96	2200	29·861	67·0	64	NW.	4·0	78·5	52·0	0
M. Victoria	61	3490	29·857	54·9	93	NE.	0·1	75·1	48·9	0
Forbes	176		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	72·0	50·9	0·17
P'rramatta	16		—	—	—	NW.	1·0	86·9	56·2	0
Sydney	5	155	29·918	63·3	74	W.	0·0	73·9	56·0	0·01
Wentw'th	476		—	—	—	SW.	4·0	54·0	45·5	0
W'l'g'ong	0		—	—	—	SSE.	1·0	66·4	53·7	0
Goulburn	54	2129	29·859	53·7	98	NE.	0·0	77·1	40·8	0·26
C. St George	0	170	29·958	53·6	94	S.	1·0	69·2	53·6	0·14
Qu'beyan	60		—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	53·2	48·1	0·73
Deniliquin	287	410	29·998	49·0	79	S.	16·0	68·6	37·2	0·25
Kiandra	39	4640	29·808	45·6	91	NW.	1·0	51·4	40·6	1·67
Cooma	51	2637	—	—	—	E.	16·0	70·6	38·8	0·50
Eden	0	107	29·870	51·7	95	Calm.	0·0	56·0	50·1	0·65

Showery at Goulburn, Deniliquin, and Cooma. Raining at Cape St. George and Kiandra. Stormy at Forbes.

Astronomical Memorandum for September 23, 1872.

Object.	Rises.	Sets.	Phases of the Moon.	
	h. m.	h. m.		
Sun	5.48	5.56	New moon	3rd
Moon	......	9 20 a.m.	First quarter	11th
Mercury	5 22 a.m.	4.40 p.m.	Full moon	17th
Venus	6.47 a.m.	7.17 p.m.	Last quarter	24th.
Mars	4.13 a.m.	2.47 p.m.		
Jupiter	4. 8 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	Moon's age, 20 1 days.	
Saturn	11.54 a.m.	2. 2 a.m.		

Moon.—G. S. Declination, 2nd; in Equator, 9th; G. S. Declination, 16th; in Equator, 22nd; G. N. Declination, 29th; Apogee, 3rd; Perigee, 15th; Apogee, 27th.

High water at Fort Denison, a.m. h. m.; p.m., 12h. 4m.

H. C. Russell, Government Astronomer.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

COCK, ATTWOOD, AND DWYER'S CLAIM.
HAWKINS HILL,
adjoining HICKSON, CREIGHTON and BEARD, and between BEYERS and HOLTERMANN'S and PAXTON'S.

Capital £80,000 in 80,000 shares of £1 each.
5s payable on application, and the balance on allotment.
SHARES WILL BE ALLOTTED IN THE ORDER OF APPLICATION.
LIST CLOSED AS SOON AS REQUIRED NUMBER ARE TAKEN.

For full prospectus apply to the undersigned, or see advertising column in THIS DAY'S (Monday) paper.

OVER 100 TONS OF RICH QUARTZ IS NOW READY FOR CRUSHING, AND THE QUARTZ FROM A RICH WIDE REEF IS NOW BEING RAISED VERY QUICKLY, AND WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR DIVIDEND NEXT MONTH.

EARLY APPLICATION IS INVITED, AS THE LIST MAY CLOSE AT ANY MOMENT; BUT WILL NOT BE OPEN AFTER SATURDAY NEXT.

LANNOR and CAPE,
Brokers.

NEW PROMOTERS' COPPER COMPANY.—The BOOMERANG Copper Mine, the property of Dr. Perry, of Goulburn. Prospectus in last Thursday's Herald. Early application for Shares requested to JOHN CAMPBELL,
BANK CHAMBERS, corner George and King streets.

BATHURST COPPER MINING COMPANY.

[Copy.]

"September, 16th, 1872.
"Messrs. Little and Pile
"for
"Bathurst Copper Company.

"Gentlemen,—I have assayed sample of Copper Ore, taken without choice from a large lot at your office, and find it contains thirty-five and a half per cent. copper.
"35 5-16th copper.
"Twemlow, Assayer, 295, George-street, Sydney.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS

PROSPECTUS
of the
MAITLAND GAS-LIGHT COMPANY,
(Limited)

Capital £15,500, in 3100 shares of £5 each,
1400 of which fully paid-up are reserved for the present proprietors, and 1700 are now offered to the public, on the following terms, viz.: —£1 10s per share to be paid on application, and the balance upon allotment.

The List will be closed on the 23rd September, 1872, when all shares will be allotted pro rata, a preference being given to bona fide Maitland applicants and consumers; and not more than 100 shares will be allotted to any one applicant.

The sum so raised will be paid to the proprietors upon completion of the purchase of the property, the proprietors bearing all expenses incurred in floating the company, including the cost of conveying the land to the trustee, and preparation of the deed of settlement.

The proprietors will, on formation of the Company, pay the sum of £500 to the credit of the Company as working capital; and should the Company not be floated, deposits will be returned in full.

The Proprietors undertake to sell none of their 1400 shares until the Company shall have been floated at least twelve months.

TRUSTEE:
Thomas Cadell, Esq., 183, Pitt-street, Sydney.
SOLICITORS:
Messrs. Colquhoun and Colquhoun, West Maitland.
BROKER:
J. Mullens, 131, Pitt-street.

Messrs. J. W. Tuck and H. G. Tuck, the present proprietors of the Maitland Gas Works, have long considered that the establishment of a Maitland Gas-light Company would be highly advantageous; and in consequence of the ill-health and advanced age of Mr. J. W. Tuck, the senior partner, necessitating his retiring from business, the proprietors have now resolved to offer their Gas Manufactory-Plant, &c., &c., to the public.

It will be seen that the proprietors evince their faith in the success of the proposed Company, by reserving to themselves 1400 shares, representing an investment of £7000.

The returns to the present proprietors from the first establishment of their Works have been highly satisfactory, and it cannot be doubted that the formation of a Company (in which the shareholders may most likely be consumers) will not only afford an excellent investment to shareholders, but also under energetic management the operations of the proposed Company may be widely and profitably extended, and gas supplied at a cheaper rate commensurate with such extension.

The present working plant is so complete as to admit of a far larger manufacture and supply of gas than at present consumed, at the extra cost only of the additional coal required.

The operations of the present Proprietors have hitherto been confined to the township of West Maitland, but they may easily be extended to the township of East Maitland; and it may be fairly anticipated that the Borough Councils of West and East Maitland will (following the example of other municipalities) see the necessity for lighting the main streets of those towns with gas, which, if carried out, would also add to the revenue of the proposed Company.

The works are of the most approved description, are in first-class order, and are referred to in the accompanying report of Mr. J. N. Wark, Engineer of the Australian Gas Light Company, Sydney.

The land and plant to be conveyed to the proposed Company will be vested in Thomas Cadell, Esq., in trust, who will transfer the same to the representatives of the Company when formed. It is intended that three Directors be appointed to manage the affairs of the Company upon its formation; the proprietors, by virtue of the large number of shares they retain, having the right to appoint one director, so long as they together hold 1400 shares in the Company; the other two directors to be chosen by the holders of the remaining 1700 shares.

It is well known that all gas companies in this colony are prosperous, even in towns where the use of gas has only recently been introduced, and the present works being complete, centrally situated, beyond the reach of floods, in operation for many years, there being also an established consumption, now yielding a permanent income, unusual recommendations are offered to consumers and capitalists in the formation of the proposed Company.

Mr. H. G. Tuck, who has had the sole control of the Gas Manufactory for the last ten years, has undertaken to manage the Works of the Company gratuitously, for a term of three months from the date of its formation, if called upon to do so.

A plan of the land can be inspected, and further information obtained, at the office of the Broker, to whom all applications for shares must be addressed, in accordance with the form herewith.

Mr. J. MULLENS, 131, Pitt-street.

REPORT.

"Sydney, August 7, 1872.

"Messrs. T. and A. Cadell.
"Gentlemen,—
"At your request I have inspected the plant, buildings, stock-in-trade, &c., of the Maitland Gas Works, now the property of Messrs. Tuck and Son, and have to report that the Works are complete, and capable of supplying about 30,000 cubic feet per day, and by judicious management considerably over that quantity.

The Works are in very good order; and I also examined the mains and services, and found them in a very good state of preservation.

"In capacity they are sufficient for a much larger supply of gas than is delivered at present.

"My opinion of the prospects of the proposed Company formed of consumers of gas and others interested in the place is, that the undertaking ought, under good and energetic management, to pay very well at a capital, say, of £15,500, £500 being set apart as working capital.

"So large a sum as £500 is not necessary as the works now stand, but it is wise to have a fund in reserve.

"I am, Gentlemen, yours obediently,
(Signed) "J. N. Wark,
"Engineer Australian Gas Light Co."

I have examined the ledgers and accounts kept by Messrs. J. W. Tuck and Son, the proprietors of the Maitland Gas Works, and find from them, that their net profits derived from the supply of gas during the twelve months preceding the date of Mr. Wark's inspection of the works, were at the rate of £1382 11s 10d per annum, or about 9 per centum per annum on the capital of the proposed Company.

ALFRED CADELL.

West Maitland, 21st September, 1872.

PRELIMINARY PROSPECTUS
of
FISCHER AND BEARD'S RICH CLAIM,
Hawkins Hill.

140 FEET ON BASE LINE OF REEF.

Capital £60,000, in 60,000 shares of £1 each.
5s on application, balance on allotment.
£2500 to be placed to the credit of the Company for the payment of working expenses.
30,000 SHARES ALREADY TAKEN—reserved by proprietors.

Full prospectus in a few days.
Applications, ad interim, to
A. W. JACKSON,
Mort's Rooms.

MESSRS. DELOITTE, BROTHERS beg to draw attention to the Prospectus of the WYNYARD GOLD SLUICING CO., Adelong, which appears in another column; and would urge parties desirous of obtaining an interest in a Proved Claim on easy terms, to make application at once.
Sydney, 21st September, 1872.

MELHADO and CURTIS have for SALE Shares in the following Companies:—

Beyers and Holtermann	Rapp
Krohmann	Dayspring
Paxton	Heffernan

Also,

Commercial Bank	Joint Stock
New South Wales	City

And Purchasers of
Peak Downs Shares
Wallsend Coal Shares.

THE SHAREHOLDERS BURRANGONG GOLD MINING COMPANY.

"Gentlemen,—I have the honour to inform you that I have at your request inspected the quartz claims hereinafter named, on the Garibaldi Reef, at Stoney Creek, near Young.

"I find the property to consist of, commencing at the south, an 8-acre lease, on which two shafts have been sunk and cut the reef—one at a depth of 130 feet, from which a quantity of stone has been raised, showing a reef from 2 to 4 feet in width; the second shaft 107 feet deep, with a reef from 6 inches to 2 feet in width.

"The next lease is known as the Prospecting Claim, on which a shaft has been sunk to a depth of 120 feet, striking the reef, which is about 2 feet in width and showing good gold.

"The third lease is north of the Prospecting Claim, on which no work has been done as yet. The reef that is proved extends over 260 yards through the eight-acre lease and the Prospecting Claim. It will be easily worked, for on the back wall there is a soft layer, or dig, of decomposed granite, which I found in every place that I tried, and I consider the stone from this reef can be raised at very little expense.

"The fourth claim is a six-acre lease, with a distinct reef about 300 yards North West from the other leases. This reef at a depth of 20 feet is from 18 inches to 2 feet in width and gradually widens as the depth increases, and at a depth of 60 feet it is 5 feet in width.

"The course of the reefs is about north-west down the centre of Garibaldi (a very rich) Gully. The reef has very little underlay, only about one in four.

"I am of opinion, having carefully examined the claims, and taking into consideration the great extent of reef proved, and the facility and little expense with which the quartz can be brought to grass, and also the average yield of the stone which has already been crushed, that when crushing machinery is on the ground very handsome dividends will follow.

"I am, Gentlemen,
"Your obedient servant,
"JAMES KERR,
"Mining Manager for Heffernan's Gold Mining Co., and late of the Grenfell Consols Co."
"Young, 19th September, 1872."

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROSPECTUS
of
GELLARD AND CO.'S CLAIM,
(Limited),
HAWKINS HILL,
adjoining Beard and Tallentine's rich claim on the North, a few claims south of Carrol and Beard's and Krohmann's, and next but one to Jeffree's Rose of England.

Capital £36,000, in 36,000 Shares of £1 each.
5s per share on application, 5s upon allotment, and the balance in two instalments of 5s each at intervals of one month.

☞ The Brokers would remind intending subscribers that nearly two-thirds of the 36,000 shares are already applied for.

Shares will be allotted in the order of application.
£1000 will be placed to the credit of the Company, which is considered more than sufficient to produce regular dividends.

BROKERS:
Melhado and Curtis.

Gellard's is now being worked by a tunnel (in conjunction with their northern neighbours, Jeffree and Tindale); the crushings have averaged 14 oz. to the ton right throughout. The returns from the last three crushings were—from 8½ tons, 145 oz.; from 16 tons, 279 oz.; from 8 tons, 146 oz.—as the books of the Victoria Company (Mr. John Whitlam) will testify.

The following is from the report of J. B. Anderson, Esq., C.E.:—

"Gellard and Company's claim, situate on the west slope of Hawkins Hill, has a depth of 852 feet, one claim south of Jeffree's Rose of England, and adjoining Beard and Tallentine's north, about 270 yards south of Krohmann's. A whim shaft, down 170 feet on the Rose of England vein, averaged 20 oz. to the ton. It is now being worked in Beard and Tallentine's claim with the same result. A tunnel in 300 feet from near your western boundary is of large size and permanent character.

"By referring to the section you will at once see the great advantage this tunnel possesses for developing your mine to a great depth, large veins outcropping near your western boundary have never been tested; at 100 feet from the mouth of your tunnel gold-bearing veins were cut, and at 300 feet numbers of others; by driving, you will be on the cluster of rich veins from Krohmann's, Carl Beard's, and others at a depth of 270 feet from the surface, and by prosecuting the tunnel you will cut the Rose of England vein at a depth of 388 feet from the surface. I therefore recommend that your tunnel be pushed on with all assiduity, it being the most profitable, safe, and speedy means of developing your rich mine.

"I am, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,
J. B. Anderson, C. E.
"Hill End, September 10th, 1872."

By the employment of additional labour, immediate returns may be forthcoming from the old workings. The present proprietors, being bound down by contract to carry through the tunnel in conjunction with Jeffree and Tindall, have not been in a position to carry on both simultaneously.

Applications for shares will be received by us, and prospectuses and forms of application may be obtained at our Office, Pitt-street, where also a plan of the ground may be seen.

MELHADO and CURTIS,
165, Pitt-street.

PROSPECTUS
of
THE AUSTRALIAN PRECIOUS OPAL MINE,
LISTOWEL DOWNS, QUEENSLAND.

Capital £150,000, in 150,000 Shares of £1 each.
30,000 of which only are offered to the public on the following terms:—
10s on application. 10s on allotment.
Shares will be allotted in the order of application.
£10,000 to be placed to the credit of the Company.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
W. F. Berkelman, Esq., Resident Director.
William F. Lambert, Esq., M.L.A., Rockhampton.
Robert Hills, Esq., Sydney. | T. T. Jones, Esq., Sydney.
William Price, Esq., Sydney.
BANKERS:
Bank of New South Wales.
SOLICITOR:
John Dawson, Esq.
BROKERS:
Melhado and Curtis. Edwin Bennett.

This Company is formed for the purpose of purchasing and working the above highly valuable property, consisting of one hundred and forty acres leased from the Queensland Government situated at Listowel Downs.

The value of this extraordinary discovery cannot be overestimated, as will be seen from the report (appended) of Mr. T. T. Jones, who has just returned from an inspection of the property, and who compares the stones to the celebrated Hungarian Noble Opal.

The opals brought from the Company's ground were seen in Queensland by Mr. Ulrich, F.G.S., late of the Geological Survey of Victoria, and well known as a Mineralogist, and in Sydney by many connoisseurs and men of science, including the Rev. W. B. Clarke, F.G.S., and Mr. Milner Stephen, F.G.S., the latter having recognised one species of matrix as identical with the Porphyry of the famous Hungarian precious Opal, specimens of which he has lent from his cabinet, for the purpose of comparison.

These gentlemen pronounce them to be the highest class of "Noble or Precious Opal," and quite equal to the famous Hungarian opals in fire and in breadth and variety of the "flashes" of colour, many of those brought down and on view at Mr. T. T. Jones', the well known Jewellery Establishment, being distinguished as "Harlequin Opals," because of their sparkling profusion of particoloura.

Two precious opal mines only are known: that of Czerwenitza, in Hungary, has been worked ever since the year 1400, i.e., for 472 years. If, therefore, the analogy which exists as to mineral conditions, between all the gems and other minerals found in foreign countries and Australia, holds good in respect to the precious opal, this extensive opal mine promises to become a lasting investment, and to yield splendid returns, as in Hungary at this day.

As to the value of opals, in the last edition of Ure's Dictionary, p. 312, it is stated that in "modern times fine opals of moderate bulk. They are very rarely sold per carat."

In placing this property before the public, it must be borne in mind that when this important discovery becomes known in Europe the shares will be immensely enhanced in value.

REPORT OF MR. T. T. JONES.

"To the Proprietors.

"Gentlemen,—I beg to lay before you a report of my inspection of your opal ground, situated at Listowel Downs, Queensland.

"The property consists of 140 acres, which presents the appearance of extinct volcanoes, the principal mount being about 150 feet from the base, and consists of a species of clay—porphyry, various boulders of indurated clay or iron stone, lava, and sandstone, all of which are more or less charged with the precious opal, running in veins of various thicknesses through the stone. Upon ascending this cone I found what I believe to be the crater, having deep openings, and from which I procured, in less than two hours, some very valuable specimens, including some of a very rare description.

"On the next day I visited another portion of the ground, and found the same description of opal, with the addition of a variety I had never met with previously, being of a rich sapphire-blue, full of flashes of fire. This is stated by writers to be very scarce and valuable. After an experience of thirty years I feel justified in stating that these opals are of unrivalled excellence.

"Having very carefully examined the whole ground, I do not hesitate to say that it will prove one of the richest noble opal mines in the world, the value of which it is almost impossible to over-estimate. I confidently assert that there are now above ground many thousand pounds worth of precious opals ready for the hands of the lapidary.

"It will be a satisfaction to you to know that one of the proprietors, W. F. Berkelman, Esq., reside, close to the ground, which in itself is a sufficient guarantee that your interests will be in every way protected.

"From the character of the ground it is obvious that the mine can be worked at a minimum cost.

"I am yours, &c.,
"T. T. Jones.
"330, George-street, Sydney, September 18th, 1872."

Application for shares and all information to be obtained from the undersigned.

MELHADO and CURTIS, Pitt-street,
EDWIN BENNETT, George-street,
Over Larmer, chemist.

FORM OF APPLICATION.
The Australian Precious Opal Mine.

Gentlemen,—I have to request that you will allot me shares in the above Company, and herewith I hand you a cheque for being deposit at the rate of per share; and I agree to accept the same or any less number that may be allotted to me, and sign the Deed of Settlement when called upon to do so.

Name in full..............................
Address..............................
Dated this day of , 1872.

POSTPONEMENT
of
TENDERS
for
TRANSFERABLE AND REMITTABLE GOVERNMENT DEBENTURES,
(payable in Sydney, Melbourne, or London.)

The Treasury, New South Wales,
21st September, 1872.

With reference to the Treasury Advertisement of the 16th instant, inviting Tenders up to noon of Tuesday, the 24th instant, for £406,800 of Government Debentures to be issued under the Act 36 Vic., No. 2,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
that the time for receiving such Tenders is extended from the 24th instant, to
NOON of SATURDAY,
the 5th day of OCTOBER now next ensuing.

The day on which the amount of accepted Tenders will require to be paid in Cash, and on which the Debentures will be deliverable, will be notified in a future advertisement.

W. B. PIDDINGTON.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROSPECTUS
of the
BURRANGONG GOLD MINING COMPANY,
STONEY CREEK, YOUNG.

Capital £13,500, in shares of £1 each.
10s per share on application and 10s per share on allotment. Out of the subscribed capital £3000 will be placed to the credit of the Company for the purposes hereafter named.

BROKERS:
Messrs. Melhado and Curtis.

The Burrangong Gold Mining Company's property is situate at Stoney Creek, near Young, and consists of a valuable quartz reef in four leases, containing in all twenty-two acres, or 1640 feet, on the base line of reef, held under the Gold-fields Regulations.

The prospecting claim consists of four acres, or 300 feet, on the base line of reef, on which two shafts have been sunk—the first to a depth of 30 feet, striking the reef, which at this depth was only one foot thick; the second shaft to a depth of 115 feet, striking the reef two feet thick, well defined and showing good gold.

The last crushing from this depth yielded at the rate of 4 oz 5 dwts. to the ton.

The claim No. 1 South of the Prospecting, consists of eight acres, or 600 feet on the base line of reef, on which two shafts have been sunk, one to a depth of 107 feet, showing the reef two feet wide, and the other to a depth of 130 feet, exposing a reef four feet wide, crushings from which yielded over one ounce to the ton.

The claim No. 1 North consists of four acres, or 300 feet on the base line of reef. This claim being held in reserve by the owners of the Prospecting Claim, work has not been commenced. The claim No. 2 North, consists of six acres, or 440 feet on the base line of reef. Two shafts have been sunk to a depth of thirty feet, striking the reef nearly two feet wide, but no crushing has yet taken place from that claim.

The stone already crushed from this property has resulted as follows:—

From Prospecting Claim	115 tons	yielded	86 oz.	5 dwts.
" " "	110 tons	yielded	132 oz.	0 dwts.
" " "	35 tons	yielded	43 oz.	15 dwts.
" " "	10 tons	yielded	33 oz.	10 dwts.
No. 1 South ..	8 tons	yielded	8 oz.	
"	35 tons	yielded	43 oz.	

and the last crushing of a small quantity at the Mint yielded at the rate of 4 oz. 5 dwts. to the ton.

The reef in the several claims is well defined, and the stone can be raised at a very small expense, as it is believed twenty men can raise 120 tons of stone per week, which, taking at the very low average of one ounce to the ton, will show a nett return for dividends of over £300 per week, when a crushing machine is on the ground and in proper working order.

The difficulty the shareholders have to contend against is the want of crushing machinery, none being in the district. The stone already crushed has been carted to Grenfell, a distance of thirty-five miles, and with a view to procure the necessary quartz-crushing machinery, they have agreed to amalgamate the four claims and form them into a company with the small capital of £13,500, out of which £3000 will be placed to the credit of the company for working capital and providing a crushing machine. The shareholders have already purchased, contingent on the formation of the company, a first-class quartz-crushing plant complete, which can be erected on the company's property, and in good working order, for £2000.

The shareholders, who are principally working miners, have such confidence in the future of the mine that they prefer taking nearly all their interest in the claims, in shares in the company, in preference to a money consideration.

The Proprietors, without dwelling further on the merits of this valuable property, have every confidence in placing the Company before the public, and can recommend same as a safe and profitable investment, and a Company from which large dividends may be anticipated at an early date, as the reef has been proved to a depth of 130 feet, and a large quantity of stone exposed to view, and only requires machinery on the property to make it rank amongst the best dividend-paying companies in the colony.

As a large number of the shares have already been taken up, early application for the balance is necessary to

MELHADO and CURTIS,
Brokers, Pitt-street.

FORM OF APPLICATION.
Burrangong Gold Mining Company (Limited),
Stoney Creek.

To Messrs. Melhado and Curtis.
Gentlemen,—I have to request that you will allot me shares in the above Company, and herewith I beg to hand you a cheque for £ being the deposit of 10s. per share on shares; and I hereby agree to accept the same, or any less number that may be allotted to me, to pay the allotment, and to sign the Deed of Settlement or any laws and regulations of the Company, when called upon to do so.

Name in full..............................
Address..............................
Dated this day of 1872.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is directed to the very fine property of the Burrangong Gold Mining Company consisting of four leases amalgamated, equal to TWENTY-TWO ACRES, or SIXTEEN HUNDRED and FORTY FEET (1640) on the base line of reef, with a reef nearly five feet wide. Capital only £13,500.

MELHADO and CURTIS,
Brokers.

ENGLAND'S GLORY.
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Prospectus and plan with
JOHN CAMPBELL,
BANK-CHAMBERS, corner King and George streets.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1872.

The late Prince Albert once brought on himself considerable animadversion by stating at a special political crisis that the British Constitution was on its trial. The Constitution, however, is always on its trial, and not only so, but it is always undergoing more or less change. The adoption of household suffrage has made a great change; and though Mr. Disraeli, who tries to put the best face on the inevitable, and who happened to be the responsible author of the last Reform Act, lately told a public meeting, that it was a return towards a more primitive usage, there can be no doubt that it has altered the balance of political power, and that it is not unlikely to do so still more. Professor Beesly has told the working classes that they did not use their power effectively at the last general election—that they were rather taken aback by the novelty of their position, and that they were not thoroughly prepared to turn their voting power to the best account. It is probable enough, as all persons love power, that at the next election the Trades-unions will be thoroughly worked for voting purposes, and that many elections will be carried by compact organizations. The result will be that some particular sections of the community will be over-represented, while others will be overborne. Unorganized minorities will be nowhere. Delegates will abound, representatives will be scarce. The character of the House of Commons will undergo a change, not only in itself, but in its relation to the community. The fact that this change is supervening, and the expectation that it will become more marked, seem to be stimulating in an increasing number of persons the desire to change the mode of election, so as to adjust it to the altered condition of things, and so as to make Parliament the representative not merely of the largest and most organized party, but of the whole community. In a late number of the *Westminster Review* is an able article, in which the writer pleads for what is now known as "proportional representation," by means of which constituencies constitute themselves by their political sympathies, and are totally detached from localities. Majorities can always get represented, but small minorities are everywhere overborne. It is only by a happy accident that they get represented, and if it were not that the freedom of the Press somewhat neutralises this disadvantage, they would be almost unheard. From the nature of the case, persons who tenaciously adhere to minorities have a special amount of force or originality. Sometimes, when the minority simply consists of a decaying party, this force simply represents obstinacy; but when it represents a new idea, the time for the practical adoption of which has not yet come, the partizans of the minority are really the teachers and educators of the world, and to silence them is to intercept progress. Majorities may often be led by men as powerful and clear in thought, and perhaps more practical, than the leaders of minorities; but the rank and file of majorities are generally made up of the unthinking members of society—without principles and without will, and who simply go with the stream. It is not proposed to deprive them of their vote, though that vote represents little that is of intrinsic value to the community, but it is desired that they should not be allowed to swamp those whose political action has a distinct value. There has been a slight tendency on the part of the British Parliament to favour the new idea—that is "proportional representation" as distinguished from majority representation—by the establishment of what are known as the "three-cornered constituencies," and also in the mode of electing the Metropolitan School-board. These tentative experiments may find fuller expansion hereafter, if the scheme proves practicable in its working as well as equitable.

It is obvious that such a scheme is inapplicable to this colony so long as we are destitute of a thoroughly comprehensive municipal system. It presumes that all merely local matters are dealt with by local authorities and at local cost, and that the Parliament of the nation confines itself to matters of high politics. In England this state of things is practically achieved, but in the colony we are still far from it. Our Parliament is occupied with a mixture of national and municipal business, and it is impossible, at present, to keep political questions separate from local questions. Our last general election for instance, was professedly an appeal to the people as to the expediency of collecting Customs on the inland frontier. But the Minister who was defeated on that appeal has repeatedly maintained, that on that particular question the country was with him, and that he was voted down simply because, as a duty to the revenue, he had reduced the payments to public servants, and had increased the railway rates to the discomfort of the railway customers, but for the interest of the whole community. We need not discuss whether this statement is wholly or even partially correct. It is enough for us to point out that while an ex-Prime Minister vehemently asserts it, the Constitution is in such a state that its theory is inapplicable. We cannot possibly make an appeal to the people on any specific point in a constitutional sense, if the answer returned is not an answer to the question put. A certain political issue is raised on which the Cabinet and the Parliament cannot agree, and the matter is referred for final decision to the primary assemblies of the people. But instead of each constituency returning a definite answer to this question, one member comes back and says that he represents a demand for a bridge, another for a railroad extension, another for harbour improvements, another simply the dissatisfaction of the people with the late member for his inertness, and so on till when they all come to cast their votes, they may possibly—as Sir James Martin declares that in the present Parliament they actually have done—vote against the wish of the people on that particular matter on which a verdict was solicited. We shall never get members to represent political ideas and political principles, until they can get returned for political reasons. While local considerations dominate within the constituencies, Parliament can only represent a congeries of localisms, and the political bias of Parliament will be a matter of accident. Ministers may make fine speeches about general principles, and these elevated sentiments may be received with cheers, but they will have little or no practical application to Parliamentary action until Parliament is specially devoted to that expression.

The reviewer to whom we have referred lays great stress on the fact that under the system of "proportional representation" men of the greatest intellectual and moral worth will find an agreeable method of entering Parliament with self-respect, and will have every inducement to preserve their individuality, and speak out what they think, instead of trimming, as is the fashion now, to meet popular notions. The chances which will be opened to men of this stamp will also, he thinks, tend to keep in the background the men who simply become conspicuous in virtue of their wealth-acquiring qualities, and who struggle for their social position to crown the edifice of lucky speculation. He points out, what it is perhaps important at this juncture that the electors of this colony should take note of, that the qualities which enable a man to make a fortune are not generally those which qualify him as a politician. "Men who gain wealth quickly must be *pushing men*, but *push* is alien to intellect. Intellect is power; it is not push. These mere men of wealth, without a thought for anything else—these men of push-and-go and shrewdness, are mere political scum. What is most noteworthy in scum! Its way of getting to the top, and making a great display, mostly frothy. But there are many ways of rising, and scum *rises* because good liquor has more weight."

The Sixteenth Annual Report of the Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New South Wales during the year 1871 shows that during that year there were more marriages, more births, and fewer deaths in the colony than during the year preceding.

The number of persons who married was 7906, exceeding the number of the previous year by 210. There were born 20,143 children, or 495 more than in the year before. The deaths were 6407, or 151 fewer than in the preceding year. The excess of births over deaths was 13,736: in the year before it was only 13,090.

The results of the registration for each of the last three years, together with the estimated population, were as under:—

TABLE 1.—Population, Marriages, Births and Deaths in New South Wales.

	1869.	1870.	1871.
Population on 30th June	475,574	493,631	509,048
Marriages	3,799	3,848	3,953
Persons married	7,598	7,696	7,906
Births	19,243	19,648	20,143
Deaths	6,691	6,558	6,407
Births over Deaths	12,552	13,090	13,736

While the population, the marriages, and the births increased in number during each of the last two years, the deaths decreased in each. Indeed it is remarkable that the number of deaths has been diminishing during the past four years, so that last year they were fewer by not less than 2224 than in the year 1867.

These are *absolute* numbers: the relation between the number of persons married, of children born, and of deaths, and the estimated population, are given in the table below:—

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TABLE 2.—MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS TO 1000 PERSONS LIVING IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

	Marriages.	Persons married.	Births.	Deaths.
1867	7·80	15·51	41·73	19·66
1868	8·19	16·37	40·50	15·83
1869	7·99	15·97	40·46	14·06
1870	7·80	15·59	39·80	13·28
1871	7·77	15·53	39·57	12·58
Mean of 10 years 1862-71	8·22	16·64	41·24	16·00

Neither the marriage-rate, nor the birth-rate, nor the rate of mortality of last year was quite equal to that of the previous year, nor equal to the ten years' average. Discarding the decimal points, the numbers in every ten thousand of the population may be read thus: the persons married last year were 1553, against an average of 1664; the births were 3957, against an average of 4124; and the deaths were 1258, against an average of 1600.

MARRIAGES.—The persons married during the year 1871 were 7906; an excess of 210 over those in the previous year, and of 308 over those in 1869. How many of these were minors and how many adults we are not informed, the official report being silent on the subject of the ages at which marriages are solemnised in the colony. The mean age of persons who married in England in 1869, including those who remarried, was 28 years for the men, and 25·7 years for the women: excluding widowers and widows, the mean age was 25·8 years for the bachelors, and 24·4 years for the spinsters. Five boys were married at the age of 16, and 32 girls at the age of 15. At the other end of the line, 14 men and 2 women were married at the age of 80.

The marriages performed by the several religious denominations, at an interval of five years, are specified below, distinguishing only those of the churches which solemnized more than a hundred.

TABLE 3.—MARRIAGES CELEBRATED BY THE RESPECTIVE DENOMINATIONS, 1866 AND 1871.

Celebrated by	Numbers. 1866.	Numbers. 1871.	Proportions. 1866.	Proportions. 1871.
Church of England	856	1232	24·7	31·2
Free Ch. of England	45	395	1·3	10·0
Presbyterian	856	648	24·7	16·4
Wesleyan	349	364	10·1	9·2
Roman Catholic	873	885	25·2	22·4
Registrars	278	210	8·0	5·3
All others	205	219	8·0	5·5
Total	3462	3953	100	100

It will be observed that five years ago the largest proportion of the marriages, 25·2 per cent. of the whole, were celebrated by the Roman Catholic Church, but that last year the largest proportion, 31·2 per cent., were celebrated, by the Church of England, the Roman Catholic proportion having sunk to 22·4. Five years ago the Church of England and the Presbyterian proportions were just equal, 24·7; last year the latter had fallen to 16·4. The most remarkable change is with the Free Church of England, whose proportion had risen from 1·3 to 10 per cent.

SIGNATURE OF MARRIAGE REGISTER.—573 men and 768 women made marks in signing the Marriage Register last year. Of 100 men married 14, and of 100 women 19, did not sign their names. The proportions in England were 20 men and 28 women.

TABLE 4.—SIGNATURES OF MARRIAGE REGISTER with NAMES and with MARKS.

	Of 100 Men Married. Names.	Of 100 Men Married. Marks.	Of 100 Women Married. Names.	Of 100 Women Married. Marks.	Of 100 Persons Married. Names.	Of 100 Persons Married. Marks.
1867	85·2	14·8	77·1	22·9	81·2	18·8
1868	83·6	16·4	76·1	23·9	79·9	20·1
1869	85·0	15·0	76·7	23·3	80·9	19·1
1870	85·2	14·8	78·3	21·7	81·8	18·2
1871	85·5	14·5	80·6	19·4	83·1	16·9
Mean of above 5 years	84·9	15·1	77·8	21·2	81·4	18·6
Mean of previous 5 years	82·3	17·7	72·2	27·8	78·2	21·8

Omitting the decimal points, we learn from this table the following results: Of a thousand persons married during the first half of the last decade, 782 signed the register with their names, and 218 with marks; during the last half 814 signed their names, and only 186 made marks. We may take this as an index to the progress of education, the numbers sufficiently educated to sign their names having increased at the rate of 32 in the thousand. As regards either sex, the proportion of men so educated has advanced from 823 to 849 per thousand, and of women from 722 to 778, an improvement of 26 amongst the bridegrooms, and of 56 amongst the brides.

The mark signatures last year were 110 per thousand in the suburbs of Sydney, 131 in the city, 189 in the country districts.

Of the Churches the proportions of marksmen and women were—Roman Catholic, 236; Free Church of England, 205; Church of England, 167; Congregationalist, 142; Presbyterian, 114; Baptist, 100; Wesleyan, 86; Primitive Methodist, 55.

BIRTHS.—Of the 20,143 children born last year 782 were born out of wedlock, being at the rate of 39 in each thousand births. In England the rate was 58, or 19 per thousand in excess of ours. The proportions of illegitimate births in the colony in each of the last four years were 38, 44, 38, and 39 in the thousand.

The differences between the metropolitan and the country districts are shown below:—

TABLE 5.—ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS in SYDNEY and OTHER PARTS of the COLONY. In 1000 Births.

	City	Suburbs	Country
1868	57	25	36
1869	55	23	30
1870	64	35	31
1871	69	23	35
Mean of 10 years	59	26	34

The moral condition of the city, as measured by this standard, is far worse than that of the other parts of our community. That of the suburbs stands relatively high, the proportion of illegitimacy being less than half that of the city, and less by 8 per thousand than that of the country districts.

DEATHS.—The relative mortality of the sexes is shewn in the table below.

TABLE 6.—ANNUAL RATES of MORTALITY of MALES and of FEMALES in NEW SOUTH WALES.

	1871	Mean of 10 years
1. Deaths of Males to 1000 Males living	13·94	15·39
2. Deaths of Females to 1000 Females living	10·97	14·60
3. Deaths of Males to 1000 Deaths of Females	1537	1496
4. Of equal numbers living, the number of Male deaths to every 1000 deaths of Females	1270	1054

Paragraphs 1 and 2 show that last year the death-rate of males was 13·94 per 1000, while that of females was only 10·97; and that the mean death-rates of the last ten years were 15·39 for the males, and 14·60 for the females. They also show a most gratifying diminution in the mortality both of the one sex and of the other, the male mortality having fallen from 15·39 to 13·94, a difference 1·45; and the female from 14·60 to 10·97, a difference of 3·63.

The 3rd paragraph gives a comparison between the whole number of males who died and the whole number of females who died, the difference being that where, on the average of ten years, 1000 females die, there die 1496 males.

The 4th paragraph shows that, supposing the population to consist of equal numbers of the sexes, the deaths of males, in the ten years' average, were 1054 to 1000 deaths of females, and that last year the proportion had risen to 1270.

The differences between the mortality of Sydney and that of all other parts of the colony are presented below:—

TABLE 7.—ANNUAL RATES of MORTALITY per 1000 in SYDNEY and OTHER PARTS of NEW SOUTH WALES.

	1869.	1870.	1871.	Mean of 10 years.
Sydney City	21·3	19·9	20·6	23·3
Sydney Suburbs	17·2	13·9	14·5	18·4
Country Districts	12·1	11·8	10·6	13·9
New South Wales	14·1	13·3	12·6	16·0

The death-rate of the whole colony has been getting lower and lower. Last year it was only 12·6 per thousand, less than in either of the two preceding years, and less considerably than the ten years' average. In the country districts the mortality was singularly low, 10·6 per thousand.

The following table presents a comparative view of the rates of marriage, birth, and death in New South Wales, Great Britain, and some parts of Continental Europe. The British and foreign results are obtained from the 32nd Annual Report of the Registrar-General of England.

TABLE 8.—MEAN ANNUAL RATES of MARRIAGE, BIRTH, and DEATH.

To 1000 Persons Living.	Persons Married.	Births.	Deaths.
NEW SOUTH WALES	16·6	41·2	16·0
EUROPE:			
United Kingdom	15·9	35·4	22·7
Great Britain	15·9	35·4	22·8
England	16·5	35·3	22·5
Scotland	13·8	35·4	23·6
Ireland	16·2	35·4	22·6
France	16·0	26·5	23·3
Austria	17·3	39·3	29·4
Italy	15·9	36·9	29·7
Spain	—	37·8	29·1

The marriage-rate is higher in New South Wales than in any of the other countries except Austria. The birth-rate is higher and the death-rate lower than in any of them, without a single exception.

The Registrar-General's annual reports are singularly meagre in their meteorological information. We have only one table, and its results are for Sydney alone, and comprise only the averages of ten years. The phenomena for the year 1871 are not given at all; nor have we any of the facts obtained at the stations in the country towns and districts. Let us hope that in future years he will give a full and comprehensive abstract of all the meteorological observations recorded throughout the colony.

The following is the information given in the report before us:—

TABLE 9.—METEOROLOGICAL RESULTS registered at the SYDNEY OBSERVATORY, being the MEANS of TEN YEARS, 1862-1871.

	Temperature.	Barometer.	Rain: Inches.	Rainy Days.	Ozone.
January	71·0	29·88	4·10	13	4·4
February	70·7	29·94	5·87	13	4·3
March	68·9	30·05	6·70	14	4·7
April	64·8	30·10	6·00	12	5·0
May	58·6	30·10	5·21	14	4·4
June	54·7	30·10	6·18	12	5·1
July	52·6	30·07	2·91	9	4·5
August	54·2	30·07	2·28	9	4·4
September	58·8	30·01	1·48	9	4·7
October	63·2	29·95	2·29	12	5·1
November	66·6	29·92	2·82	10	4·7
December	69·3	29·87	2·27	10	4·1
The Year	62·7	30·04	48·11	137	4·6

These ten years' averages show that in Sydney the warmest month is January, with a mean shade temperature of 71·; the coldest July, with a mean of 52·6; that the year's rainfall is 48·11 inches; and that throughout the year there are 137 rainy days.

THE LATE MR. CHARLES NATHAN.—We are informed that the funeral of Mr. Nathan will take place on Wednesday next, at 3 o'clock. The funeral procession will move from St. James's Church after the service. The Chancellor of the University invites the attendance of the Fellows, Officers, Examiners, Fellows of College, and other members of the University.

SUPREME COURT.—Business This Day: Before the Court, at 10 o'clock. Equity appeals: The European Assurance Society v. Young and others, plaintiff's appeal; same v. same, ditto. Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction: Gordon v. Townsend, defendant's appeal.—Master's Office, at 10 30: Mackenzie v. Laird, to settle draft commission; Commercial Bank v. Parker, to tax defendant Parker's costs. At 11 o'clock: Thackeray and others v. Mullen (2250), evidence prior to hearing; Thackeray and others v. Mullen (2248), evidence prior to hearing.

DISTRICT COURT.—Business This Day.—To be spoken to: Doyle v. Jacobs.

POSTPONEMENT OF TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT DEBENTURES.—We are requested to state that, in consequence of the severe illness of the Colonial Treasurer, the time originally fixed as the latest period for the receipt of tenders for the New Government Loan of £406,800, is extended from to-morrow, the 24th instant, until noon of Saturday, the 5th of October.

VOLUNTEER PARADE.—The Commandant's parade took place on Saturday afternoon at Moore Park. According to Brigade order, the Artillery (field batteries with guns), the New South Wales Infantry, and the Sydney and Suburban battalions, with Engineers and Grammar School Cadets, mustered on the ground at 3 30 p.m., and formed up in line of quarter columns, facing east. The Volunteer Artillery formed on the right, with the Sydney and Suburban battalions and the New South Wales Infantry next. The Engineers and Grammar School Cadets formed on the left. Major Fitzsimons commanded the Infantry and Cadets (the latter being attached to the Infantry). Major Shepherd commanded the Artillery, and Majors Raymond and Goodlet commanded respectively the Sydney and Suburban battalions. The men first marched past in column, countermarched, and marched past *en masse*. They subsequently marched past in line of quarter columns, and went through other evolutions. The batteries of Artillery then opened fire, followed by the Battalions and Infantry with independent and volley firing. The firing was very good and the various manœuvres were performed with the greatest precision. The New South Wales Infantry, who have long ago passed a most severe criticism satisfactorily, went through the evolutions as one man, and in fact so perfect was their discipline, that the spectators applauded them as they marched past. There were 1289 men on parade, all told, and the result of the drill was eminently satisfactory. The Cadets behaved very well, and reflected great credit on Mr. Hedge, their drill-master, who has been assiduous in his efforts to render the boys efficient. The spectators mustered in great force, and in several instances considerably impeded the evolutions of the men. The "larrikins" were a great nuisance (as they always are) and did their best to break the line by their acrobatic efforts. At the next parade a few energetic policemen might prevent these erratic movements on the part of the small fry.

A CONSTABLE IN DIFFICULTIES.—Our Stroud correspondent writes:—"Senior-sergeant Cochrane of our police force was, a few days ago, while in the execution of his duty, seriously assaulted by one Peter Grey, his wife, and son. It appears that the sergeant went to Grey's house for the purpose of serving a summons on a younger son of the said Grey, who informed the constable that the boy was from home. But not feeling satisfied on that point the constable was anxious to be convinced, whereupon Grey retired into the house and came forth with a bill-hook, making a dash at the constable who seized and secured the weapon. Grey then took up stones to throw at Cochrane, but desisted on being threatened with the contents of a revolver. Cochrane then went into the house with the parties, when Grey called out, 'Now we have him,' when the others surrounded him, and endeavoured to throw him down; but Cochrane succeeded in getting away, and when about to mount his horse was again rushed by the parties. Grey seized the horse by the bridle, causing the animal to tread on the constable's foot; at the same time his wife laid hold of the brush-hook, and his son one of his (Cochrane's) legs, in order to upset him; but by an extraordinary effort the constable succeeded in getting clear. Grey had led the horse away, but on Cochrane following him, and threatening to fire if he did not give up the horse, he at once succumbed, and again resorted to stones. The parties were afterwards apprehended, and lodged in the lock-up. After the case was heard at the police office, before Messrs. Barling and Nicholls, J.P.s, it was dismissed, the magistrates differing in opinion."

SUDDEN DEATH.—About 4 o'clock on last Saturday afternoon, a woman, named Louisa Purcell, fifty years of age, who had been in the habit of selling matches about the streets of this city, died suddenly at her residence, 92, Judge-street, Woolloomooloo. Dr. Beeke, who had been attending her during a recent illness, gave, yesterday morning, a certificate as to the cause of death.

CUSTOMS SEIZURES ON THE NORTHERN BORDER.—The Stanthorpe correspondent of the Brisbane Courier writes:—"Considerable excitement was created in town by a report of goods, forwarded hence by Ruby Creek, a distance of about five or six miles from here, and across the Border, having been seized by the Customs officials of New South Wales. On making inquiries, I found that two seizures had been made—one being that of a spring-cart, belonging to Mr. George, one of our most respected storekeepers, and who, in common with all the other storekeepers of this place, runs a cart weekly, to fulfil orders from the miners in that district, without any attempt at concealment. The other seizure was that of two drays conveying goods from the store of Messrs. Davis, Harris, and Co. to a store at Boohookoorara, a place about half-way between Maryland, where the New South Wales Custom-house officer is stationed, and Tenterfield. Mr. Davis said he had nothing to do with it; he had sold the goods, and loaded and forwarded them according to instructions, and it was the business of the parties who had purchased the goods to have made arrangements for paying the duty or otherwise; and that they (Messrs. Davis and Harris) will not be losers. Consequent on these seizures, a public meeting was held yesterday evening, under Groom's verandah, for the purpose, as the bill said, to 'consider the action of the New South Wales Border Customs officials in seizing certain drays and goods of Stanthorpe storekeepers.' A large number of people attended, both the verandah and the street in front being crowded. Mr. Harris, who, it was expected, would have been present, was not on the platform. Mr. Tyrel was voted to the chair, and called upon Mr. George, who explained the circumstances under which the seizure of his cart was made. After this was done, the following resolutions were carried unanimously. Proposed by Mr. Keogh, and seconded by Mr. Prince,—'That, in the opinion of this meeting, the recent seizure by the New South Wales Customs officers of drays and merchandise intended for the supply of miners across the border should demand the immediate consideration of the Queensland Government, inasmuch as the rigid enforcement of the Border duties must have a prejudicial effect upon the trade and commerce of Stanthorpe, and seriously affect the Border trade of both colonies.' Proposed by Mr. Scowen, and seconded by Mr. Groom,—'That viewing the altered circumstances of the colony of Queensland and the mineral discoveries on the southern frontier since the question of Border duties was raised by the respective Governments of the two colonies, this meeting is of opinion that the Queensland Government should, as early as possible, endeavour to come to some amicable arrangement with the Government of New South Wales with a view to establishing free trade on the border of the two colonies.' Proposed by Mr. D. Murray, and seconded by Mr. T. N. Rose,—'That the foregoing resolutions be forwarded by the chairman to the Colonial Secretary of Queensland and the Colonial Secretary of New South Wales, with the request that they will bring the subject under the notice of their respective Cabinets.' Proposed by Mr. Scowen, and seconded by Mr. Campbell,—'That a petition be drawn up and as numerously signed as possible by the miners and storekeepers residing on the Queensland and New South Wales borders, praying that the goods seized on this occasion be returned to the owners on payment of the duties, as there was not the slightest evidence to show any intention to defraud the New South Wales revenue.' At this juncture of affairs, when large and important townships are developing themselves on the borders of both colonies, it will certainly prove a great drawback to commercial transactions that some amicable arrangements have not been come to between the two Governments of New South Wales and Queensland over this much-vexed question of the Border duties.

WHAT MAY HAPPEN TO A FROG IN AUSTRALIA.—We are indebted to a friend, whose veracity is unquestionable, for the following curious story:—Some few years ago he was travelling in Queensland during the dry seasons when for month after month no rain falls to moisten and refresh the thirsty land, accompanied by a black boy who was in his employ. The water failed them, and they were beginning to suffer for want of it, when they came to the bed of a creek, which in the wet season had evidently been a considerable stream, but which was now perfectly dry. The gentleman was disappointed, but the boy said, "Neber mind, massa; me find him prog." The master said he didn't want prog, he wanted water. "Neber mind, me find him" was the reply, and thereupon he commenced with a stick scooping a hole in the now dried creek. Presently he cried out, "Look, massa, you no see him track?" The gentleman couldn't make out what the lad meant, he saw no tracks. At length the mystery of the prog was solved. The boy put his fingers into a corner of the hole he had scooped out, and pulled out a fine frog, well distended; taking it between his finger and thumb, he squeezed about a tablespoonful of water out of it, and then set to work again and caught more, until they managed to get a pint of water which they boiled, and made their tea. It is well known that when the dry weather comes, even in this part of the country the frogs imbed themselves in the mud, and remain close prisoners until the rain comes. For a good proof only go out any evening after rain, and you will hear how merry the poor froggies are; but we never heard of their being put to such a novel use before.—*Wangaratta Dispatch*.

TITLES TO LEASEHOLDS.—The *Gulgong Guardian* observes:—As the character of the titles given to leaseholders on gold-fields is now clearly defined, it becomes the duty of the miners to agitate for an amendment in the laws relating to mining, by which the fulfilment of the covenants of mining leases can be enforced by some simple process, otherwise the granting of leases is simply an unprofitable and unjust reservation from work of ground that should be and could be worked. It is a self-evident absurdity to give a few speculators an exclusive title to a large area of ground on condition that they shall work it, and if they do work it, that no cheap effective method of enforcing the conditions can be taken. Such is the law, as it now stands, and such it will be for many months to come, even if the Government introduce a mining bill at the opening of the next session of Parliament.

QUEENSLAND ABORIGINES.—During the last few days (says the *Cleveland Bay Express*), a complete raid has been made upon the blacks, almost indiscriminately, by the officers of police and their sable troopers; and the latter seem to possess a kind of hostility to their brethren which is certainly not partaken of by the white population. It is possible that they do not altogether understand the precise meaning of the instructions they receive, and therefore exceed them unknowingly. We do not believe in a maudlin sentimentality; but there is a vast difference between justice and brutality. The latter should at least be avoided if real justice, which is impossible, cannot be administered. It is desirable that the immense congregation of the tribe, which at present infest the town and its adjoinings should be dispersed, as they have become a nuisance, and should therefore be removed for the sake of morality and decency, but with leniency withal. The passengers who arrived by the Leichardt, numbering about 250 strong and stalwart miners, for the most part old and experienced diggers, did not allow the grass to grow under their feet, were such a thing possible. By Wednesday morning nearly the whole of them had left for the diggings, most of them making for the Towers. Although the reports are not so brilliant in reality, there is little doubt but that the class of men now arriving will do much to develope the mines. There is ample scope for mining enterprise, and where labour and capital are combined there is little fear of failure. We hear of much larger numbers coming, and we must once more, from experience, urge that precautionary measures be taken not to over-do a good thing.

PATRONAGE.—If the following statement, taken from the *Yass Courier*, is to be relied on, it requires no comment:—We are informed that Mr. Carter, bailiff of the District Court at Goulburn, has been appointed bailiff of the Circuit Court at Yass. Without desiring to cast any reflection upon Mr. Carter, who we understand is well qualified for the office, we feel that a wrong has been inflicted upon Mr. R. Leger, the bailiff of the District and Small Debts Courts at Yass, in his having been passed over. For many years past Mr. Leger has been performing his present duties upon a starvation salary, in the expectation of receiving this appointment—which was several years ago promised to be given to him—and now he has been thrown over, and a stranger promoted. A rumour that this was intended led some time since to the preparation of an application to the Sheriff for the appointment of Mr. Leger, which was signed by the magistrates of Yass and a number of the most influential residents. Several private letters were also written in Mr. Leger's favour, but it appears that good conduct and a satisfactory discharge of his several duties for, if we mistake not, some fourteen years, have had no weight in the scale when patronage was to be dispensed.

THE OPERA.—On Saturday evening, Balfe's pleasing opera of "Satanella" was produced at the Victoria Theatre. The chief character in the opera was sustained by Miss Alice May, and it afforded a better opportunity of judging this lady's voice, as suited for opera, than the character of Boulotte, in "Barbe Blue." Miss May sings with correctness, and her voice is well adapted for Balfe's music. The theme of the opera—the well-kown aria "The Power of Love"—was exquisitely given, and all through the opera this lady sang well. Mr. Rainford made his first public appearance here as principal *basso* in opera in the *role* of Arimanes, and his voice is evidently one in which it is heard to advantage in characters of that description. His first solo, "What daring mortal," was, although set in a very low register, well rendered, and he maintained the same standard of excellence throughout the opera. Mr. Beaumont appeared as Count Rupert, and sang well, but his voice is scarcely suited for the ballad music of which English opera is mainly composed. He, however, had to submit to an encore for that rather jerky Bacchanalian song, "The glorious vintage of Champagne." One of the best performed characters in the opera was the Hortensius of Mr. C. Lascelles; he was a veritable Dominie Sampson, and his make-up exceedingly good for effect. Mrs. Fox, Mr. Kitts, and Miss Winston sustained the other principal characters very creditably. The choruses and concerted music generally were admirably given, and the opera placed on the stage with its mechanical effects in a most complete manner. This evening Bellini's grand opera "I Puritani" will be performed, and, judging from the cast, it should be the finest representation of this work that has been heard in Sydney.

TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM.

GULGONG.

SATURDAY.

YESTERDAY, a man, named Logan, was killed at the Home Rule drive, which caved in. A man was also injured at Black Lead to-day, from bad timbering.

EDEN.

SATURDAY.

Three humpback whales were caught here this morning.

Raining steadily.

MELBOURNE.

SATURDAY.

It has been raining heavily all day.

An old man, named James Stewart, was buried alive in an old shaft near Castlemaine.

A successor to Mr. Childers for the Agent-Generalship is being actively canvassed. Sir James M'Culloch is thought the fittest, if he will accept the position.

The quarantine regulations against Sydney vessels have been revoked in the *Gazette*.

There has been a further importation of stock per Niagara.

The Winifred, from London to Brisbane, was spoken by the Hannibal on August 19th.

The R. M. S. Bangalore cleared the Heads at 1 o'clock this morning.

QUEENSCLIFF.

SATURDAY.

ARRIVED.—Envoy, American barque, from New York: Monitor, ship, from Boston; Penola, from Adelaide; Kasas, barque, from Batavia. At 5.30, Governor Blackall (s.), from Sydney.

ADELAIDE.

SATURDAY.

According to the estimates, there will be no increase of taxation.

The Lucy has arrived with a cargo of Java sugar, to be sold by auction on Tuesday.

A glass manufactory is in course of erection.

Flour is unchanged; 10,000 bushels of wheat sold at 5s. 6d.

THE GOVERNOR'S VISIT TO THE HUNTER.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.]

ON Thursday morning, his Excellency Sir Hercules Robinson, accompanied by the Hon S. Samuel, the Hon. G. A. Lloyd, and several other gentlemen, paid a visit to the Maitland Hospital. He was shewn over the institution by Dr. Spink, Dr. Pierce, and Miss Morrow (nurse), and the Committee of Management. Before leaving the hospital, at the request of the committee, his Excellency planted two trees in the grounds surrounding the institution. His Excellency subsequently visited the London and New South Wales Patent Maize and Fibre Paper Company's works, and saw the whole process of manufacturing the excellent coarse brown paper produced at this establishment,—chiefly from cornstalks. After visiting the magnificent premises of the branch Bank of Australasia, over which they were shown by the manager, Mr. Edward Hughes, the Governor and party drove on to East Maitland. A triumphal arch had been erected near the Victoria Bridge by the people of the township, for his Excellency to pass under. On arriving at the arch the party was met by the Mayor (Mr. A. Dodds) and the Aldermen, and a large number of townspeople. The Volunteers formed a guard of honour. His Excellency and party were escorted to the gaol, where they were received by the governor of the establishment (Mr. Stace), Mr. J. Smith, P.M., the Revs. J. R. Thackeray, and J. Byrne. Mr. Stace was complimented upon the good order of the establishment, and the efficient management which was everywhere manifested. There are at present 109 prisoners in the gaol—94 male and 15 female. The Court-house was next visited; and here refreshments were partaken of. His Excellency and party then resumed their seats in the vehicles and drove along the Pitnacree Road to the Paterson. Mr. F. Reynolds's estate, Tocal, was visited. The visitors were shown the fine horses and cattle stock for which Tocal is so justly celebrated. The party were joined at Tocal by the Hon. Lady Robinson. The party next drove over to Stradbroke, the country residence of the Hon. W. M. Arnold (Speaker of the Legislative Assembly), where they were entertained at lunch. They then drove back to Maitland by the road leading over the Belmore Bridge. In the evening his Excellency visited the School of Arts and several of the business establishments of West Maitland. Later in the evening, the Hon. Lady Robinson, the Hon. S. Samuel, the Hon. G. A. Lloyd, and others, attended St. Paul's Church, to hear Miss Thackeray, the accomplished organist, play on the organ of the church. The whole party were highly gratified with Miss Thackeray's playing.

On Friday morning, his Excellency, the Hon. Lady Robinson, and party left West Maitland about 11 o'clock, for Singleton, by train. They arrived at the Singleton station at twenty minutes to 12. His Excellency and her ladyship were met at the station by Mr. J. F. Burns, M.L.A.; Mr. W. C. Browne, M.L.A., and Mrs. Browne; Mr. G. Jarman (Mayor), Mr. W. J. Dangar, Mr. A. A. Dangar, the Rev. J. S. White, M.A., LL.B., and by a large concourse of the citizens and residents of the district. The Singleton corps of Volunteers formed a guard of honour.

The following address from the inhabitants of the district was presented to his Excellency by Mr. J. C. S. M'Douall:—

To his Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

May it please your Excellency,—

We, the inhabitants of Patrick's Plains, beg to assure your Excellency of our loyalty to our most gracious Sovereign as represented by your Excellency, to thank your Excellency and Lady Robinson for the honour done to our district by the present visit; to congratulate most heartily your Excellency and Lady Robinson on your safe arrival, and to tender our most cordial welcome; to express our earnest hope and desire that the visit of your Excellency and Lady Robinson may be productive of every satisfaction, pleasure, and benefit to your Excellency and Lady Robinson; to proffer our heartfelt prayer for the continued health and prosperity of your Excellency, Lady Robinson, and family, and for the blessing upon your Excellency's Government of him "by whom kings reign and princes decree justice."

We have the honour to be your Excellency's humble and obedient servants, for and on behalf of the inhabitants,

(Signed) JOHN CRICHTON STUART M'DOUALL.

His EXCELLENCY replied to the address in the following terms:—

To the Inhabitants of the District of Patrick's Plains.

I have received with pleasure the expression of your loyal attachment to her most Gracious Majesty, and thank you cordially for the kind welcome you have given to Lady Robinson and myself on our arrival amongst you.

I feel assured that our tour in this interesting district will be most satisfactory and agreeable to us both.

I beg you will accept my grateful acknowledgments for the good wishes which you are pleased to express for myself and my family, and I fervently trust that, by the blessing of God, my administration may conduce to the well-being and happiness of all classes of the community.

A procession was formed, and, headed by the Volunteers, proceeded along George-street towards the Royal Hotel. When the procession had arrived at a triumphal arch erected in front of the hospital, a halt was made, and the Mayor read and presented his Excellency with an address, of which the following is a copy:—

To his Excellency Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, Knight, Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

May it please your Excellency,—

We, the Mayor and Aldermen of the borough of Singleton, desire to express to your Excellency and Lady Robinson our high appreciation of the honour of this your first visit to this town and district.

We beg to assure your Excellency of our feelings of devoted loyalty and attachment to the Throne and institutions of which as British subjects we are so proud.

It is our most heartfelt wish that your Excellency and Lady Robinson may derive great pleasure from your present visit, and with the rest of your family may long enjoy the great blessing of health and prosperity.

We have the honour to remain her Majesty's loyal and attached subjects, and your Excellency's most obedient servants.

(Signed) GEORGE JARMAN, Mayor.

His EXCELLENCY read the following reply:—

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the borough of Singleton.

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen,—

I receive with great satisfaction your address of welcome on my first visit to the town and district of Singleton, and your expressions of loyalty and attachment to the throne and institutions of the British empire.

Lady Robinson and myself anticipate much pleasure from our tour through this interesting locality; and I thank you heartily for the kind wishes entertained towards us and the members of our family.

Mr. M. Waddell, on behalf of the Friendly Societies, also presented the Governor with an address, to which his Excellency made a suitable response.

The procession then proceeded to the Royal Hotel, where apartments were provided for the Governor and party.

Amongst those who offered a hearty reception to the Governor and her Ladyship was a picturesque group of about thirty or forty aborigines of the district. The men wore red calico coverings and streamers to their hats, which they kept continually waving about as the procession moved along.

In the afternoon his Excellency visited the Hospital, where he was met by the resident surgeon, Mr. Weaver, Dr. Glennie, and the committee, and was shown over the admirably conducted institution. The Hon. Lady Robinson planted two trees in front of the hospital. A large number of persons were congregated to witness the ceremony, and warmly cheered her Ladyship and his Excellency on their leaving the institution. The party were driven over the bridge crossing the Hunter at Singleton, and next visited the Court-house and the School of Arts—an excellent institution, possessing one of the best fitted up halls in the colony, and well supplied with books, magazines, newspapers, &c. His Excellency and the Hon Lady Robinson went to see a magnificent specimen of Chanthus Dampierii, commonly known as the desert pea, which is growing in the garden attached to the residence of Mr. Ham.

In the evening, his Excellency and the Hon. Lady Robinson attended the Mechanics' Institute, where a very excellent musical and literary entertainment was given.

Later in the evening a ball took place in the Court-house. The Court-room had been cleared and decorated, and formed an excellent *salle de danse*. His Excellency Sir Hercules Robinson opened the ball, with Mrs. W. C. Browne as partner; Mr. W. C. Browne, M.L.A., engaging Lady Robinson as his partner. At midnight the guests sat down to partake of refreshments. Before leaving the table, the chairman, Mr. J. C. S. M'Douall proposed the usual toasts to the Queen and Royal Family, which were received with honours. He then proposed "Our Guest, his Excellency Sir Hercules Robinson." In responding to the toast,

HIS EXCELLENCY said:—"Mr. Mayor, Ladies, and Gentlemen,—I beg to thank you most sincerely for the kind manner in which you have proposed and drunk the toast to my health. I desire, also to take this opportunity of expressing my cordial acknowledgments for the loyal and hearty reception I met with to-day in Singleton, and with which I have been greatly gratified. I assure you I have had very great pleasure in visiting Singleton; and I may say, without flattery, that I think this is the prettiest, the best regulated, the best roaded, and the cleanest town I have been in in New South Wales. (Cheers.) Allow me also to take this opportunity to say how much pleased I am altogether with the tour I have made through the beautiful valley of the Hunter. I have had an opportunity of seeing the busy bustling city of Newcastle, with the rich mineral treasures in its neighbourhood. I have travelled through country unsurpassed for its fertility—a country dotted over with nice-looking homesteads and thriving towns. And I have had an opportunity also of seeing for myself the energy and enterprise, and the good order and loyalty of the people, which makes me proud of my countrymen. (Cheers.) I do not think this is the proper occasion for making a long speech. I assure you, if I were to attempt to do justice to my own feelings on this occasion, and explain to you all I feel after my visit to the Hunter district, there would be no chance of the ladies engaging in another dance this evening. Allow me to thank you once more for the kind compliment you have paid me in drinking my health; and allow me also to assure you that I shall never forget the reception I met with, and that I shall ever feel the deepest interest in the welfare and prosperity of your town and district." (Applause.)

Mr. W. C. BROWNE, M.L.A., proposed a toast to Lady Robinson and the ladies of the colony, which having been responded to by his Excellency (on behalf of Lady Robinson), and by Mr. Macintyre, the guests again repaired to the Court-room, where dancing was resumed.

On Saturday, about noon, his Excellency and party proceeded by train to Murrurundi.

WARRAGAMBA WATER SCHEME.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—Building a dam in the Warragamba, to carry out the water scheme I propose, is of such consequence I am rejoiced Mr. Young goes further into the subject, as it is only by friendly and intelligent discussion it will be understood. I have, therefore, pleasure in replying to his queries and remarks.

There is no place on the Warragamba where a dam of much less dimensions than that proposed could be built to throw the water into Mulgoa; the fact that one 170 feet high at its junction with the Nepean would form the whole into a reservoir shows that the bed of the river is very level, and I imagine no such place could be found in the Wollondilly or Cox, but at a distance that would preclude doing so; and further, that as these rivers pass over sandstone almost from their sources, no clay puddle can be procured near them.

No doubt concrete would be a very efficient material to *form a core of*, both in preventing leakage and giving *strength*; but the great cost precludes its use in this instance, and I believe a less expensive substance will answer every purpose.

That a wall built of rubble sandstone, carefully grouted with hot stone lime and cement (say one-third of the latter) would form a sufficient core to prevent leakage through the dam, *and no more is required of it*.

On this latter point Mr. Young and I are at variance. He considers such a wall would be required not only to prevent leakage, but to *resist the direct action of the weight of water in the reservoir*.

I believe a wall, embedded in the rocky debris across the gorge, as this would be, is merely a substitute for a clay puddle core in an earthern bank, to prevent leakage. No person supposes that clay core adds strength to the structure, and why expect it from a stone wall?

Reasoning on these surmises, Mr. Young conceives the water would force its way through the sandstone; but I contend no such lateral pressure would take place, and, consequently, such a wall would be amply sufficient to prevent leakage.

I substitute stone, from the absence of clay, and from the impossibility of intimately connecting so soft a substance (one liable to constant expansion and contraction) with the hard rocky banks of the river that are not so; so as to prevent leakage, which no amount of channelling would do.

I contend that the strength of the dam would entirely depend upon its weight and outward form, and that all lateral force would be removed from the wall, and directed down to the bed of the river by means of the inclined surface. Consequently, no force would be acting upon it to drive the water through.

Again, the material is the cheapest that can be procured. The stone would be blown from the banks. Sand is lying in the bed of the river. The best limestone may be procured at Nattai by easy haulage, to be burnt on the spot, and cement got by rail or water carriage from Sydney. Therefore, the work ought not to be expensive.

Such difference of opinion would be removed were the mathematical question as to the direction in which fluids act upon the sides of the cavity that contains them, by the action of gravitation, settled.

In my last letter, two errors occur in my reply to Professor Pell. In the first query, the word "talus" is printed "tables" in the sixth line, which makes the sentence unintelligible. Again, in the thirteenth line of the sixth reply, "levels" is printed "lands."

THOMAS WOORE.

Sydney, 19th September, 1872.

GEORGE'S RIVER WATER SUPPLY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—I have read some prize essays on the propriety of supplying Sydney with water; and in your issue of the 10th September I observe that "Aqua" objects to the remarks made by "Ecce" concerning "riparian rights" and the injury that would ensue to the navigators on George's River by Sydney absorbing the whole area of George's River for a supply of water. Did not "Aqua" propose to raise the level of George's River three feet or six feet above the level of the sea?

To purify George's River, the level must be raised above the highest tides. When this is done, what will be the effect on the navigation of that river? Will it not be increased? Is not a fresh water lake more useful and more valuable than a salt puddle? But will no one demand compensation for the loss of land absorbed and covered by the enlargement of this lake?

In flood time, at Liverpool and near Liverpool, what will be the effect of raising the level of George's River six feet on the land there situated, and on many parts of the town?

THE OLD MAN.

September 16.

INSANITY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—An article appeared in one of the monthly magazines, about three or four years ago, headed "*Small Beginnings*," having reference to various manifestations of insanity in its incipient state. Would one of your readers have the kindness to state where the article can be found?

And oblige,

ENQUIRER.

Sydney, September 20, 1872.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION, THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11, Horses, Vehicles, Harness, Saddlery, &c.

HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At New Central Yards, at 11, Fat Wethers.

T. SULLIVAN.—At the Homebush Yards, at 11, Fat Bullocks.

A. CHANDLER AND CO.—At the Ice Hotel, South Head Road, at 11, License, Fixtures, Fittings, Stock-in-trade, Furniture, &c., &c.

H. D. COCKBURN.—At his Mart, at 11, Piano, Furniture, Horse, Dogcart, Harness, Milch Cow, and Sundries; on the Premises, Parramatta-street, at 2, Goodwill, Implements of Trade, &c., of a Butcher's Shop.

LISTER AND GRISDALE.—At their Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.

R. F. STUBBS AND CO.—At the City Mart, at 11, Tin Ore.

E. T. GILBERT AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Tin, Copper, and Gold Shares.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH.—At their Rooms, at 11, City, Suburban, and Country Freeholds.

A. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11, Household Furniture, Carriage, Harness, &c.

S. WOOLLER.—At his Yards, Horses, &c.

H. MOON.—At the Bank Auction Rooms, at 11, Gold, Copper, Tin, and Fire Insurance Shares.

T. F. MACKENZIE.—At 2, Beef and Mutton.

G. M. PITT.—At Homebush, Fat Wethers.

MARAVILLA COCOA.—Opinions of the Press.—"Those who have not yet tried Maravilla will do well to do so."—*Morning Post*. "It may justly be called the perfection of prepared Cocoa."—*British Medical Journal*. MARAVILLA COCOA.—The *Globe* says "Taylor, Brothers' Maravilla Cocoa has achieved a thorough success, and supersedes every other Cocoa in the market. Entire solubility, a delicate aroma, and a rare concentration of the purest elements of nutrition, distinguish the Maravilla Cocoa above all others. For invalids and Dyspeptics we could not recommend a more agreeable or valuable beverage." HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation, is manufactured by TAYLOR BROTHERS, under the ablest homœopathic advice aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree the purity, fine aroma, and nutritious property of the fresh nut. SOLUBLE CHOCOLATE.—Made in one minute without boiling. The above articles are prepared exclusively by TAYLOR BROTHERS, the largest manufacturers in Europe, and sold in tin-lined packets only, by Storekeepers and others all over the world. [illegible] Mills, Brick-lane, London; export Chicory Mills, Bruges, Belgium.—ADVT.

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

SATURDAY EVENING.

THE amount of Customs duties received to-day was as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	£491	1	11
Wine, still	9	10	9
—— sparkling	3	5	0
Cigars	26	7	6
Tea	68	15	6
Sugar, unrefined	250	0	0
Malt	3	5	0
Hops	1	18	8
Ad valorem duty	90	1	10
Specific duty	50	11	4
Bonded warehouse duty	75	0	0
Pilotage	17	17	0
Harbour and light dues	4	19	8
Total	£678	0	9

The City of Adelaide (s.) brings Melbourne papers to the 17th instant. Tuesday's *Argus* reports:—

In the import markets we note an improved inquiry for merchandise, and the week gives a fair promise of business. The splendid passage of the Northumberland—52 days from England—has been commented on with much satisfaction in commercial circles. In breadstuffs there is no great show of activity. *Flour* is quoted at £15 10s; there is, *however*, little inquiry, and we have no sales to report. Wheat is likewise neglected; on our quotations of 6s to 6s 9d there is no alteration to make. Oats are in moderate request; sales of milling parcels are mentioned at 3s 6d. Maize is moving off very freely, and amongst other sales we hear of some 2200 bushels having been placed at 3s 3d; for small lots we quote 3s 4d. Sugars are disposed of for trade purposes. Sales of brewing crystals and fine yellow counters have been made at £37 10s to £38 10s, and up to £42 has been got for second whites. From our Adelaide telegram we learn that all the Tien Esser's cargo has been disposed of at £37 to £40. Some 5000 bags and mats Mauritius and Java, we observe, will be submitted to public competition to-morrow. Dundee goods are in favour. We understand that the James Service's shipment of 100 bales Calcuttas, and in addition 200 bales to arrive, have changed hands at prices supporting our quotation of 14s 9d. A small parcel of gunnies has also been sold to land. Kerosene oil is disposed of at 1s 10½d; about 800 cases Devoes have been taken up at this quotation. We learn that the stock of American rosin, amounting to 120 tons, has been sold to one buyer, who now holds for an improvement. More firmness has been imparted to the market by this operation. A small shipment of hoop iron, 25 tons 1 inch, has been sold to arrive at £21. In liquids there is a good inquiry to report. Hennessy's brandy in bulk has been placed at up to 6s 9d for over one year old vintage. Sales of Hennessy's case have been made at 26s 3d. Parcels of O'Brien's dagger brand of stout have met with purchasers at 10s 6d.

MINING.

SATURDAY EVENING.

THE Share Market was quiet to-day, and prices about the same. Beyers and Holtermans have improved a little, owing to favourable news from the mine.

At a meeting of the shareholders of the Molong Copper Company, held at Wynyard-chambers, on Thursday afternoon, Messrs. C. Teakle, J. Clark, J. Holland, F. Withers, and J. R. Swyny were elected directors. Messrs. W. H. D. Mitchell and G. M. Seymour, auditors. Messrs. R. Meares and H. O. Swyny, trustees. Mr. H. Fairfax, legal manager.

The specimens from the Count Bismark Gold Company, recently crushed at the Mint, yielded 1148 oz. 4 dwts. 16 grs. of gold, not 148 oz., &c., as previously reported.

The yield of the Band and Albion mine today was 75 oz. For the week, 792 oz.

Managers' Reports.—The Great Western Undaunted G. M. Co.: The mining manager reports:—The rock in the shaft continues very hard. The total depth is now 339 feet 6 inches. I also learn that in the use of dynamite the contractors have found it a far safer and more powerful means of conducting blasting operations than the old plan, &c. The Alliance G. M. Co.: The manager reports that the vein in the tunnel looks very well, &c.; depth about 100 feet. The Rawsthorne G. M. Co.: The mining manager reports that he has the pleasure to speak again in most favourable terms of this mine; the quartz looks exceedingly well, and gives every indication of continuing so, &c. Lord and Lady Belmore: The manager reports:—Information from this mine is scant; it appears the main shaft is at a depth of 80 to 90 feet, and that the ground is rather hard. The Lady Belmore G. M. Co.: Recent news from the mining manager states:—I knocked down 9 feet of the vein in the level under the drive, and have seen some good gold, &c.; in fact, I have traced gold for a distance of 25 feet from the shaft south, and by what I can see I am through the streak, &c.

Koh-i-noor G. M. Co., Boorak.—Report from the mining manager and telegram:—Raising stone from new reef; will go over 4 oz. to the ton. Reef four feet. Best stone on Boorak. Gold right through.

Modern Briton Tin Mining Co.—Report from mining manager—letter 14th instant:—Plenty of water and plenty of tin.

Long Drive G. M. Co.: The mining manager reports the tunnel is now 305 feet in length to present workings and floored, and, iron frame laid entire distance of 220 feet. There is also a water drain which serves the double purpose of conveying out water and taking in air. It is likewise covered over with planking the entire length. This week I am getting sleepers ready, and sawn timber for the balance of the distance bored.

Queen Victoria G. M. Co: The mining manager reports with reference to the indications in the shaft there is no one in the Louisa district with finer indications both of gold and of a reef than is to be seen in the Queen Victoria, the rock is glittering with mundic, and I firmly believe when we get the vein it will be glittering with gold. There is a displacement now of the rock, which is a sign that we are coming near another vein.

The managers report of the following:—Heffernan G. M. Co.: Mining manager states mine is looking first-rate; 200 tons stone at grass; has commenced to sink on rich leaders; 237 oz. amalgam from 170 tons crushed from 28th August to 12th September. Biraganbil G. M. Co.: All appliances nearly ready for washing; ground well opened out; large quantities of washdirt on surface; hope to be washing in a month from date. Sydney Tin Co.: 12½ tons tin on hand, will be sent down as soon as carriage can be got; washing delayed recently, to move engines, and by flood in the creek; recommenced work last week; ground looking first-rate. Marshall's Rich Vein Co.: Ground being opened out and quartz raised which shows gold; crushing will be had shortly. Great Southern G. M. Co.: Machinery nearly ready to leave for the mine; ground being opened out properly; the special general meeting on 24th instant, when a very satisfactory report will be laid before shareholders. Pactolus Co.: Contract let for second 100 feet of tunnel. Work progressing well in this contract. The first reef in the ground will be cut; it is gold-bearing, and hopes are entertained that it will prove payable. Magellan Cloud Co.: The shaft is progressing, as well as the ground will permit; a satisfactory contract has been let for sinking another 50 feet. Green Valley Co.: Two shafts working. Manager hopes in another 30 or 40 feet to cut the reefs on Homeward Bound and Job's lines. The Homeward Bound, Peep o' Day, and Minerva Companies have got much better stone than formerly, and as they are in close proximity to Green Valley Co., the latter company's prospects are improving. New Eldorado Co.: Delay in getting to work, consequent on difficulty in getting title to portion of lease. Matter now settled. Work will be at once commenced. City of Sydney Co: Machinery all on ground. Mine opened out. Crushing may be expected about [illegible]. Murchison Co.: Work proceeding steadily; opening on the reef. Trial crushing will be had shortly. Union Co: Manager in Victoria purchasing machinery. Ground being opened out. Allen Nuggety Co.: Work at the shaft progressing. Manager will be in position to raise stone as soon as crushing power is available. Satisfactory arrangements have been made for crushing. Wynyard G. M. Co.: Work proceeding as usual. Yield will be reported in a few days.

Golden Haul G. M. Co.—Mining manager reports the tunnel is now in forty-two feet, and the rock is still very hard, and takes two men four hours to drill a two foot hole. The work is progressing steadily, and they expect to get through the hard belt in a few days. The fact of the Band of Hope raising fine stone encourages us to work with a will.

Our Sofala correspondent sends the following telegram:—"Reimer, Rademitz, and Manning, in following the lode in their respective claims, have struck exceedingly rich stuff. Two small dishes yielded 20 oz. of gold. Wylde and party have cut by tunnelling a gold-bearing reef three feet wide. The Kaffaratti, Big Oakey, is breaking down splendid quartz. The Benedict Company, Bullock Flat, is raising rich stone. Moyle in his tunnel struck a very rich patch. The Eldorado Company, Casey's Hill, also by tunnelling have just cut a rich vein. Eight claims on Pennyweight Hill are now on gold. A very rich leader was yesterday opened south of Yard's Paddock.

CHARTERS TOWERS.—A correspondent of the *Brisbane Courier* wrote from Townsville on the 9th instant: "I beg to assure you, from the most reliable authority, that there is nothing to justify a large influx of people to this district. There is, however, always room for a few of the right class, from time to time." He more than hints that the rush from the Southern colonies has been caused by the Press being misled; but this is not the case, for we think that the newspapers generally have joined with us in deprecating a rush for which there is no sound cause. The fact is that some miners who were doing very well on the newly-discovered alluvial ground at Charters Towers, wrote to their friends in Victoria in the most sanguine terms with regard to their prospects. Exaggerated versions of these letters got abroad, and the consequence was an exodus to this colony of persons who will find on their arrival at the Towers, if they ever get so far, the truth of what we have from the first asserted—that the alluvial deposit is of limited extent, and all the payable ground will soon be worked out. However, abundance of work is to be obtained in most of the mineral districts, and wages in the pastoral districts are higher than they have been for years; so if Charters Towers does not turn out well, there will be none of the ill effects that were experienced in former years at the Canoona rush.

THE COLONIAL EPISCOPATE.—*John Bull* hears that the Rev. Dr. Hitchinson, Head Master of Canterbury School, has been offered the Bishopric of Mauritius, but has declined it, as, there being no letters patent, no security could be given him that he should not meet with the same treatment as Bishop Jenner at Otago. Bishop Ryan, *John Bull* learns, is going out again for a year to reorganise the diocese.

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PUBLIC COMPANIES.

THE LOUISA GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited.)
10-acre Lease,
TUCKER'S HILL, HARGRAVES.

Capital—£10,000, in Shares of £1 each.
6000 shares are offered to the public on the following easy terms:—1s per share on application, 2s per share on allotment, and 1s per share on issue of scrip, after which the balance shall be payable (as required) in calls not to exceed 6d per share monthly.
4000 Shares fully paid-up, and £600 in cash will be reserved by the present proprietors, out of which will be defrayed all expenses up to the Company being declared formed.

This company is formed for the purpose of working a 10-acre Lease, situate at Tucker's Hill, Hargraves, adjoining the celebrated Golden Haul and Band of Hope claims on the south; on the west is the machine of the Band of Hope Company; and on the east, Kronin and Co.'s claim. Several gold-bearing reefs have been cut in the adjoining claims on the same line, and which can be traced through this lease. Its position is second to none on the hill. A trial crushing from the adjoining lease gave 5 oz. 10 dwts. to the ton. It is proposed to carry on work by a tunnel to cut the reef at a distance of 90 feet. A splendid crushing plant with 20 head of stamp is in course of erection within 250 yards of the mouth of the tunnel, and to which the stone can be run at a very reasonable rate. The working capital of the Company (£600) will be ample to work the ground, and it is anticipated that no more will be called up before the claim will be in a position to pay dividends.

As a great number of the shares are already subscribed for, and the number being limited, an early application is requested, as such a favourable opportunity to get an interest in a rich claim on the Meroo upon such reasonable terms is not likely to occur again.

Application for shares to be made to W. J. CLARKE, Starr-Bowkett Rooms, Pitt-street.

SOFALA SLUICING COMPANY (Limited).
Capital £8000, in 8000 Shares of £1 each.

4000 shares and £550 cash are reserved by the present proprietors, 4000 shares paid-up to 10s offered to the public, payable 1s on application, 2s on allotment, and the balance as far as required in 6d calls.

The property of this Company consists of a 5-acre lease of alluvial land, on the Turon River above Sofala, together with a reservoir and splendid water race 5 miles in length, having the first right to the waters of Tobin's Oakey Creek, M'Kinnon's Oakey Creek, and Spring Creek, and carrying four ground sluice heads of water.

This race, having been brought from so great a distance, has secured a considerable elevation, which would enable it to be used in sluicing over forty acres of alluvial land, besides the lease held by this company; while but a little additional expenditure would take it to other alluvial banks lower down the river, which it would command at still greater elevation. It was commenced by the proprietors in July, 1870, and has only recently been completed.

The alluvial flats on the Turon, it is well known, were of enormous richness; the richest deposits were generally found in the bed rock, under large bodies of drift containing gold, but not in sufficient quantities to pay for working by the ordinary methods, but which by hydraulic power would pay splendidly.

The terms upon which this enterprise is placed in the market are as under:—

That as soon as the Subscription List is full, a meeting of the subscribers shall be called, and a competent person selected by them to inspect the property. Should his report be favourable, the Company will be declared formed, and the allotment of Shares made, and directors appointed; if otherwise, the deposits, less the expenses of inspection, will be returned.

Application for shares to be made to
LITTLE and PILE,
62, Margaret-street.

The Manager in charge has just reported the results of last month's operations. Three men only were employed and produced 30 ounces of gold. The ground is now in first-class order for operations.

PROSPECTUS
of the
WYNYARD GOLD SLUICING COMPANY (Limited)
ADELONG.

Capital £15,000, in 15,000 shares of £1 each. 10,000 shares are already allotted, and 5000 are now offered to the public.
2s 6d per share to be paid on application, 2s 6d on allotment, and the balance in calls as may be required.

The capital is increased to extend operations.

Dividends payable on all shares alike.

This Company, as is well known, was originally formed with a very small capital for the purpose of prospecting and proving twenty-five (25) acres of alluvial land on the Adelong Valley, and a small plant was erected to suit the circumstances of the time.

The results of these preliminary and experimental operations have been highly satisfactory to the proprietors. Shafts have been sunk, and drives opened in every direction, which have proved the existence of a rich lead of gold over two hundred (200) feet wide, and four (4) to five (5) feet thick, thus showing an almost inexhaustible body of wash-dirt, which will provide years of profitable work.

A large proportion of the first capital was spent in erecting machinery, cutting races, &c., before getting into the ground, and MORE THAN HALF the amount called up has been returned from the actual profits of these experiments.

The same lead of gold has been struck in the adjoining ground, above and below the Wynyard, proving that it traverses this lease from one end to the other. The present trial workings show better prospects than any hitherto obtained, and are improving in richness as they go into the unworked ground.

Having now proved a rich and permanent mine, it is proposed to erect powerful machinery, and to work the ground on a systematic and extensive scale.

It is for this purpose that the new capital is required, and the erection of the new plant will, without doubt, make this one of the largest and most valuable mines in the colony, with a certainty of good and regular dividends.

The mine is working as usual, and the present machinery is fully and profitably employed, which could either continue so or be made available for the new works.

There is always abundance of water, and the plant now in use is driven by water-power.

The whole of the expensive improvements, machinery, gear, trucks, rails, tools, stock of timber, &c., will become the property of the new company.

Application for shares in the usual form (accompanied by the deposit of 2s 6d per share) to be made to Messrs. DELOITTE, BROTHERS, No. 3, Spring-street.

Early application is necessary.

THE WATERLOO GOLD MINING COMPANY SPRING CREEK, near Sofala.
NOTICE is hereby given that the notice of Messrs. Phillips, Baillie, and party, in the HERALD of the 13th instant, claiming to be the proprietors of the reefs known as Kearney and Gard's old reefs, is UTTERLY FALSE, as we, the undersigned, are the legal and rightful proprietors of the two reefs. In verification of our statement we append copies of letters of W. Johnson, Esq., Commissioner in charge, and of the Honorable the Minister for Lands.
MENDEL, SWAIN, and CO.
Sofala, 18th September, 1872.

[COPY.]
"Western Gold-fields Office, Bathurst,
"30th August, 1872.
"GENTLEMEN,—I have to acquaint you that the Honorable the Minister for Lands has given his decision in your favour in respect of application No. 1701, disputed by Messrs. Phillips, Baillie, and Co.
"I have the honour to be,
"Your obedient servant,
(Signed) "WHITTINGDALE JOHNSON.
"Commissioner in Charge."
"Messrs. Mendel, Swain, and Co.," Sofala.

[COPY].
"Department of Lands,
"Sydney, 26th August, 1872.
"SIR,—In reference to your letter of the 20th instant, further reporting in connection with the conflicting applications of Messrs. Phillips, Baillie, and party, for leases of auriferous tracts at Sofala, I am directed to inform you that the Minister for Lands has approved of the cancellation of Messrs. Phillips, Baillie, and Co.'s application, Nos. 1302 and 1352, on account of their having neglected to comply with the existing Regulations as to labour conditions, as therein recommended by you.
"2. The application of Messrs. Mendel, Swain, and party, No. 1701, has therefore been sent on for the approval of the Executive Council.
"I have the honour to be, Sir,
"Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) "W. W. STEPHEN."
"The Commissioner in charge of the Western Gold-fields, Bathurst."

THE COLONIAL PLATE-GLASS INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).

Head Office—No. 41, Flinders-lane West, Melbourne.
DIRECTORS:
Wm. M'Culloch, Esq. George W. Parbury, Esq.
George Martin, Esq. F. W. Prell, Esq.

This Company is prepared to issue policies of insurance, protecting the assured against loss arising from the breakage of plate-glass windows, mirrors, and other similar interests, at moderate rates of premium.

Forms of proposal and all other particulars may be obtained on application at the Head Office, or from
ERNEST O. SMITH,
Agent for New South Wales.
5, Gresham-street, Sydney.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF SYDNEY allows INTEREST on DEPOSITS for periods of twelve, six, or three months, at rates to be ascertained at the office.
By order of the Directors,
HECTOR ALLEN, Manager.

PROSPECTUS
of the
WATERLOO GOLD MINING COMPANY,
SPRING CREEK, SOFALA.

Capital—£15,000, in £1 shares.
3000 fully paid shares for the promoters.
12,000 shares offered to the public, to be paid for by calls as follows: 5s on application, 5s on allotment and the balance in calls of 1s per share, as required, on month's notice.
Out of the subscribed capital the sum of £1000 to be paid to the promoters, on transfer of the leases to the Company.

TRUSTEES:
Messrs. W. H. Deloitte and F. Spence.
BANKERS:
Union Bank.

The Company is projected to work 2 valuable leases situate at Spring Creek, Sofala, containing 5 acres, and 10 acres respectively,—in all 15 acres.

The leases contain the reef well known as Gard's, Kearney's, and Williams', which have been well tested, and proved to be highly auriferous, with a large body of stone, which will, when crushed by the company's own machinery, give highly remunerative returns to the shareholders.

The 5-acre lease contains the reef known as Gard's and Williams'. Gard's reef, from a crushing had some time ago, gave 21 oz gold from 19 tons stone. On Williams' reef a shaft has been sunk 56 feet on to a vein 10 inches thick, which yielded from the only crushing obtained 4 oz. 7 dwts. to the ton. This was the only crushing had, as water stopped the owners of the lease from prosecuting the work.

The 10 acre lease has Kearney's reef running through it, and has three shafts sunk on it; one 30 feet deep, on a vein 2 feet wide, crushings from which gave from 5 dwts. to 2 oz. 4 dwts. to the ton.

The second shaft is 10 feet deep, with a vein 18 inches thick, which has given 1 oz. to the ton.

The third shaft is 20 feet deep, on a vein 20 inches wide, crushings from which have yielded 20 dwts. to 2 oz. to the ton.

The proprietors have secured the best site on Spring Creek for a machine, which is situated so as to be easy of access from both leases.

It is proposed to erect a first-class plant, which will enable the Company to crush their quartz at a moderate cost.

The proprietors draw attention to the fact that they are offering to the public a valuable property of large area, viz., 15 acres, on which a large amount of work has been done, proving the existence of three reefs, which promise to give an inexhaustible supply of quartz, yielding gold in such proportion as will give large returns on the outlay.

The whole expense of floating the Company will be paid by the proprietors.

It is expected that 10s paid on the subscribing shares will place the Company in a dividend-paying position.

The Company to be registered under the Limited Liability Act.

As soon as sufficient shares are applied for, a meeting will be called, and Directors be elected by the shareholders from among themselves.

In the event of the Company not being floated, all deposits will be returned in full.

Reports to verify by independent testimony the character of the property offered to the public, can be seen at the Brokers' office.

Applications for shares, in the usual form, to be made to the Brokers, accompanied by the deposit of 5s per share.

Specimens of quartz from the different reefs can be seen at the Brokers' office.

Brokers; Messrs. DELOITTE, BROTHERS, 3, Spring-street, Sydney.

PROSPECTUS
of the
CURRAJONG CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY,
BUSHMAN'S LEAD, CURRAJONG,
25 Miles North of Forbes.

To be registered under the Limited Liability Act.

Capital, £46,500, in 46,500 shares of £1 each.
7500 shares reserved for proprietors, and remainder offered to the public.
Terms—10s on application, and 10s on allotment.
Out of the subscribed capital, the sum of four thousand pounds (£4000) will be placed to the credit of the Company, for the working of the mine and erection of crushing machinery; which sum will be considerably more than ample to make this the
MOST COMPLETE AND EXTENSIVE MINING PROPERTY
as yet offered to the public.

The Proprietors wish to draw the special attention of the public and investors to the fact that they bind themselves not to offer in the market any of their shares until after a dividend has been declared.

BANKERS:
Australian Joint Stock Bank.
SOLICITORS:
Rolin and Salter, Pitt-street.
PROVISIONAL TRUSTEES:
The Hon. Robert Owen C. K. Moore, Esq.

This Company is being formed for the purchase of and amalgamating FIVE consecutive rich and proved claims on the Buchanan Reef, Bushman's, Currajong, near Forbes, viz.:—
No. 1.—North of Albion, about 161 feet on base line.
Albion, ditto 161 ditto ditto
No. 1.—South of Albion, ditto 171 ditto ditto
Prospectors', ditto 400 ditto ditto
No. 1.—South of Prospectors, ditto 400 ditto ditto
Giving a total of about 1293 feet,
equal to nearly 18 acres in length on the new base line regulations.

The reef, which is about two feet wide, having been proved of the same character and richness through nearly the whole extent of the ground, from a depth of 93 feet, where it was first found in the alluvial workings, to 150 feet present level,—places this property beyond doubt a perfectly safe investment, and will yield undoubted large returns for years to come.

THE WORKING OF THE MINE WILL BE INEXPENSIVE.

There are now from 80 to 100 tons of stone at grass from No. 1 North and Albion claims (which will become the property of the Company, together with all stone daily coming to hand.) A trial crushing of 20 tons a few days back gave a return of 95 oz. 14 dwts., equal to 4 oz. 15 dwts. per ton, after the richest of the stone was reserved, a portion of which is now on view.

A machine can be continually kept going, thereby ensuring to investors a steady and immediate return for their outlay.

The report at foot, from a gentleman of long experience as a mining manager, will give an idea of how the ground has been tested; and since the date of his report sundry telegrams and letters advise of the increasing richness of the stone and further development of the reef.

Independent of reef at present being worked, another one—wide and payable—has been cut in sinking the north end claims.

Specimens of the quartz and plan of ground, together with sundry extracts from the FORBES TIMES correspondent, can be seen at the Board Room, over Mr. C. TEAKLE'S, Auctioneer, No. 7, Wynyard-street, and where also every information may be obtained and applications received.

COPY OF REPORT.
"Forbes, September 4th, 1872.
"C. K. Moore, Esq.
"Sir,—In accordance with instructions, I have made a careful survey of your claims at Currajong, known as Buchanan's Reef.
"I find that a very large outcrop of a reef has been struck in No. 1 North and Albion claims in the alluvial, at a depth of 93 and 95 feet respectively.
"In the No. 1 North claim the reef has been opened up 39 feet north in the 110 feet level, and 24 feet south at the 152 feet level. The reef is well defined, with sandstone foot wall and slate hanging wall; lode from 18 inches to 2 feet wide.
"In the Albion claim the shaft has been sunk on the reef 62 feet, and a drive put in south 30 feet on the course of the lode, which is well defined and 2 feet in width. A trial crushing of 20 tons of stone from this drive yielded 95 oz. 14 dwts. of gold. This was seconds stone, the best specimens having been kept out.
"In the No. 1 North and Albion claims at the 150 feet levels the reef has been opened up north and south 103 feet, and has gradually widened out from the 90-feet level to the present depth, and shows very strong underfoot.
"The stone raised from the No. 1 North—and now lying on the surface—and the trial crushing of seconds from the Albion is a sufficient proof of the value of the reef without further comment.
"Prospectors claim, Buchanan's, struck an east and west leader at 90 feet in the shaft, 6 inches wide, stone very rich; 124-foot level drive in west 16 feet cut an east and west leader about 8 inches wide, showing rich stone.
"No. 1 South cut reef in the 80-foot level 50 feet from the shaft east; a monkey shaft has been sunk on the reef 16 feet, which is 12 inches at the bottom, and payable stone.
"I have no hesitation in stating that the reef in the Albion and No. 1 North claims will also be found in the Prospectors and No. 1 South at a deeper level, as they are on a direct line of the course of reef south.
"I remain your obedient servant,
"WM. DICKINSON,
"Mining Manager."

☞ *Since the above report was written, and under date Bushman's, September 9, a letter has been received, stating the Prospecting Claim struck the reef on Saturday, with good gold, two feet wide.*

ROYAL TANKARD TIN MINING CO.
SPECIAL NOTICE.

At a meeting of Directors, held this day, it was decided to Close the Share List on TUESDAY MORNING next, at half-past 10 o'clock. Intending investors are therefore requested to send in their applications at once, as the List will positively Close on the day named.
W. WESTGARTH and SON,
14, Spring-street.
Sydney, 19th September, 1872.

PROSPECTUS
of the
GREAT SOUTHERN GOLD SLUICING COMPANY, (Limited).
TUMBERUMBA CREEK, UPPER TUMBERUMBA.

Capital, £20,000, in 20,000 Shares of £1 each, fully paid up.
NO CALLS.
Divided into 400 Promoters' Shares of £20, each share representing fifty (50) fully paid up Scrip of £1 each.
Of these Promoters' Shares, 200 are retained by present Proprietors, paid up, and 200 are offered to the public at £10 on purchase and £10 payable in three months; from sale of which £1000 will be placed to the credit of the Company for working capital, being more than will be required.
Dividends and returns payable on all shares alike.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
J. J. Woods, Esq., alderman S. C. Brown, Esq., M.L.A.
J. F. Downs, Esq., Brown- Archibald Thompson, Esq.,
low Hill, Camden J.P.
BANKERS:
Bank of New South Wales.
SOLICITORS:
Messrs. Holdsworth and Brown.
AGENTS AND BROKERS:
J. G. Waller and Co., 400, George-street, Sydney (directly opposite the Telegraph Office).

This property now offered for participation by the public is one of the most stupendous gold claims in the colony, consisting of 10 acres, giving a monopoly to work the Tumberumba Creek and the immediately adjoining rich golden alluvial grounds for a distance of about one mile and a half (1½ miles), all of which have been tested and proved to be very rich in gold, an average of 6 oz. having been obtained from several 12 feet square paddocks put down on various parts of the ground.

This large and valuable claim, situated about half-a-mile from the township, was selected by the experienced miners, Messrs. WATSON and HEFFERNAN, nearly three years ago; between which and the present time, they have, at a very great cost and much labour, cut a TAIL RACE of about 2400 feet, through very hard country, consisting partly of granite and in some places through cuttings varying from 12 to 32 feet deep; and a FLOOD RACE has also been well formed and completed, measuring about 1610 feet.

The tail race, however, requires deepening for about five hundred yards, in certain parts, so as to more effectually perform the work intended, namely, the conveying of the creek water for sluicing purposes, and affording immediate facility for working the bed of the creek, which is known to be very rich in gold, and it is chiefly for this purpose that the money is required, as the gold can be taken out directly the tail race is finished.

The present proprietors intend remaining in the Company, taking the largest portion of the purchase money in shares.

The amount required not being more than remuneration for the great labour performed (during a period of nearly three years), the useful and permanent work done and the large sum expended in these necessary preparatory appliances for the future operations of this gigantic claim.

From the known richness of the Tumberumba district, and the proved gold-bearing character of this claim, the shareholders may reasonably look forward to very large returns directly after the commencement of sluicing operations.

A more valuable or promising mine was never offered to the public, and a more bona fide enterprise cannot be pointed out.

The stupendous preliminary work, occupying as it did a period of nearly three years of hard toil and heavy expense, so steadily persevered in, should be a sufficient guarantee to the public of the great confidence Messrs. Watson and Heffernan have in the richness of the ground they have taken up, and it is only because they have exhausted a large amount of capital that they have decided, with the party interested, to place the whole into a Company, and so obtain the required capital for the completion of the work above-mentioned.

On the tail race being deepened gold can be at once and steadily obtained.

Constant dividends may be looked for for a long period of time, as this large claim could not possibly be worked out for very many years.

For prospectuses and all particulars apply to the Company's agents and brokers, Messrs. J. G. WALLER and CO., 400, George-street, directly opposite the Telegraph Office, where applications for the Promoters' Shares must be made.

Immediately on the sale of 150 of which the Company shall be deemed formed, and a general meeting of shareholders called for the election of directors, and such other business as may be considered necessary.

Telegram just received from Chas. J. B. York, Esq.
"Adelong, 18th September, 1872.
"Prospects from Great Southern Gold Sluicing Company's ground splendid, half a pennyweight to the dish got yesterday."
J. G. WALLER and CO., Mining Agents,
400, George-street, Sydney.

COCK, ATTWOOD, AND DWYER'S CLAIM, HAWKINS HILL,
adjoining HICKSON, CREIGHTON and BEARD'S, and between BEYERS and HOLTERMANN'S and PAXTON'S.
Capital £80,000, in 80,000 shares of £1 each,
5s payable on application, and the balance on allotment.
SHARES WILL BE ALLOTTED IN THE ORDER OF APPLICATION.
LIST CLOSED AS SOON AS REQUIRED NUMBER ARE TAKEN, AND NOT LATER THAN SATURDAY NEXT.
TRUSTEES:
The Hon. John Sutherland, M.L.C.
William Cook
William Frederick Cape.
BANKERS:
The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney.
BROKERS:
Lennon and Cape.

It is proposed to form a company with above capital, to purchase this RICH and WELL-KNOWN GOLDEN CLAIM, adjoining HICKSON, CREIGHTON, and BEARD'S.

The claim has nearly 60 feet frontage on base line of reefs, and is the FULL LENGTH, being about 140 feet GREATER LENGTH than HICKSON, CREIGHTON, and BEARD'S, and will embrace all the known rich veins in that CELEBRATED CLAIM, as well as in the RICH CLAIMS of KROHMANN'S, BEYERS and HOLTERMANN'S, and PAXTON'S.

Attention is invited to the PRESENT MARKET VALUE of the adjoining claims on each side of this property. The following particulars afford satisfactory evidence of the PUBLIC ESTIMATION of HAWKINS HILL CLAIMS:—

Paxton and Holman—market value ..	.. £140,000
Creighton and Hickson and Beard—ditto	.. 90,000
Beyers and Holtermann—ditto ..	.. 180,000
Krohmann—ditto	.. 200,000
Carroll Beard—ditto	.. 135,000

The mine is in FULL WORKING ORDER; at present there are 22 men employed; the SHAFT and WORKINGS below are in the most PERFECT CONDITION, everything having been done from the commencement that prudence and practical mining experience could suggest.

There is work in sight for years without sinking or driving for the OTHER RICH VEINS now producing such large yields in KROHMAN'S and BEYERS and HOLTERMANN'S. All expenses connected with the working of the mine to date of formation of this company, and with its formation, including preparation of deed of settlement, and issue of first scrip certificates, will be arranged by the proprietors, and the claim, with all plant and quartz then raised, will be handed over FREE OF ALL LIABILITIES.

The sum of £1000, to be returned to the proprietors out of the proceeds of the first crushings, will be paid to the CREDIT OF THE COMPANY to pay expenses of the mine from its formation to the first crushing, which can take place NEXT MONTH, a considerable quantity of quartz being ALREADY RAISED.

OVER 100 TONS of RICH QUARTZ are now ready for crushing, and the quartz from a FINE RICH WIDE REEF is being raised VERY QUICKLY, and will be available for DIVIDEND NEXT MONTH.

Immediately after the shares are applied for and allotted a meeting will be called to ELECT DIRECTORS. The DEED of SETTLEMENT will be READY for SIGNATURE, and SCRIP CERTIFICATES READY FOR ISSUE not later than the 30th INSTANT.

PROSPECTUS, WITH PLAN SHOWING POSITION OF MINE, and FORMS OF APPLICATION, may be obtained from the undersigned.

EARLY APPLICATION IS INVITED, AS THE LIST MAY CLOSE AT ANY MOMENT, AND NOT LATER THAN SATURDAY NEXT.
LENNON and CAPE,
136, Pitt-street.

MULTUM-IN-PARVO TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited), Tent Hill, New England.
In Promoters' Shares, £20 each, entitling the purchaser to 40 fully paid-up scrip of £1 each.
DIRECTORS:
Michael Chapman, Esq., Mayor of Sydney.
John Dawson, Esq., George-street; Francis Macnab, Esq.
AGENTS AND BROKERS:
J. G. Waller and Co., 400, George-street, opposite Telegraph Office,
where prospectuses and promoters' shares can be obtained, and every information given.
A RELIABLE and BONA FIDE ENTERPRISE.
Share list will remain open for a few days only. Early application necessary.

REDUCTION IN FIRE RATES.
THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
Capital, £100,000.

Only Society in the colony in which Insurers, without liability, participate equally with shareholders in the annual division of profits.
Losses by Lightning and Explosions by Gas paid.
FIRE INSURANCES promptly effected, at lowest rates.
Offices, 225, Pitt-street.
JAMES HENDERSON, Manager.

CORNWALL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. GEO. A. LLOYD and CO., Agents, 363, George-street.

PROMOTERS' SUSSEX GOLD MINING COMPANY.

60 Shares offered to the public—£5 on application, and £5 on allotment. This Company is forming to work an 8-acre Lease, on the Golden Point Line of Reef. On the north-west portion of the adjoining lease Dr. Kerr's black-fellow found the 100-lb. nugget. All quartz raised from this claim to be the property of the Company from the time the prospectus is issued. Dixon's crushing machine is only 150 yards from this claim, the quartz can therefore be easily crushed, and the Company will thus be enabled to pay a dividend soon after its formation.

The TAMBAROORA TIMES of September the 18th says:—"The first claim on this line is Dalley's, the shaft is down 50 feet, and good stone is being raised. The Morning Star is adjoining Dalley's, then follow in order Bailey and Davenport's (Sussex), and the Frenchman's, from which payable gold has been extracted for two years."

Early application is necessary, as the Share List will positively CLOSE October 2nd.

Prospectuses, plan of lease, specimens, and all particulars, on applying to
F. J. BARKER,
85, Sussex-street.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

Established 1849.
FOR MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE, &c.
PRINCIPAL OFFICE—New Pitt-street, Sydney.

Principal Board of Directors:
George King, Esq., Chairman.
Charles Nathan, Esq., F.R.C.S., Deputy Chairman.
Samuel Lyons, Esq. J. H. Goodlet, Esq.
Edwin Thomas Beilby, Esq. John Fairfax, Esq.
Actuary, M. A. Black, F.I.A.

MEMBERS INCUR NO LIABILITY OF PARTNERSHIP.
The annual income exceeds £247,016
The realized assets of the society exceed 980,519

Forms of proposal for Assurance, copies of the Prospectus, and every information may be obtained, without expense, on application at the principal or any branch office, or from any of the Society's Agents throughout the colonies.
By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON,
General Secretary.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—A BRANCH of this Bank is established at CHARTERS TOWERS, in the colony of Queensland, for the transaction of all usual banking business.
SHEPHERD SMITH, General Manager.
Sydney, 5th September.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

SPLENDID 3-stop HARMONIUMS for SALE. H. Moon, Bank Auction Rooms, 336, George-street.

ELVY AND CO.'S PIANOFORTE GALLERY and SHOWROOMS, 321, GEORGE-STREET.

Our stock includes COLLARD'S fine-toned Cottage Pianos, Erard's well-known Cottage Pianos, Bord's elegant, brilliant, and low-priced instruments; Broadwood's, Hopkinson's, Allison's, and Cadby's reliable Pianos. Also Mason and Hamlin's American Organs.

Our equitable instalment system is largely used; and the stock of music embraces all works necessary for the study and practice of the art.

MEDICAL, CHEMICALS, ETC.

ADGER'S Eau Lustrale Hair Tonic Restorative. Sole Composer Hair Dressing Rooms, 328, George-st.

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THE AUSTRALIAN OINTMENT.—To be obtained from all Chemists and Druggists; price, 1s 6d.

LONG'S COUGH LINCTUS, especially efficacious for young persons. LONG, Chemist, Woolloomooloo.

RANDERSON'S Honey BALSAM, for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, &c., 1s 6d and 2s 6d bottles. 413, George-st.

HENRY'S COLONIAL OINTMENT, in lid pots, 1s each. All chemists and storekeepers.

NOW LANDING ex Nardoo, from New York.
140 barrels amber resin
100 cases Townsend's sarsaparilla
50 cases turpentine
33 cases Barry's tricopherous
10 cases Ayer's hair vigor
10 cases Ayer's sarsaparilla.
ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, 110 and 112, Pitt-street.

CHURCHILL'S SYRUPS of LIME, IRON, and SODA.—Recommended by the faculty for consumption and all diseases of debility. Free from any unpleasant taste or smell.
ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, Wholesale Agents,
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DR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.
Multitudes of people are hopelessly suffering from debility, nervous and liver complaints, depression of spirits, delusions, unfitness for business or study, failure of hearing, sight, and memory, want of power, &c., whose cases admit of a permanent cure by the new remedy,
PHOSPHODYNE (Ozonic Oxygen),
which at once allays all irritation and excitement, imparts new energy and life to the enfeebled constitution, and rapidly cures every stage of these hitherto incurable and distressing maladies.
Caution.—Ask for Dr. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE, as imitations are abroad.
Sold by all chemists and storekeepers, from whom pamphlets containing testimonials may be obtained.
To be had wholesale of
ELLIOTT, BROTHERS,
Pitt-street, Sydney.

HORTICULTURE AND FARMING.

ORANGE TREES.—I beg to give notice that Messrs. ANDERSON, HALL, and CO., Seedsmen, of Pitt-street, Sydney, have been appointed Agents for the sale of my Orange Trees.
JAMES PYE.
Rocky Hall, near Parramatta, July 20, 1872.

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FIRST PRIZE SEWING-MACHINES.—The HOWE, FLORENCE, BRADBURY, TINSLY, with new and great improvements. Reduction in price, &c. Sole agents, M'Rickard, Brothers, importers, 505, Geo.-st.

SEWING-MACHINES.—
The "Common Sense," chain stitch, £3
The "Home Shuttle" lock stitch, £4 10s.
The largest sale of any in Australia.
M. MOSS and CO., Sole Agents,
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THE LITTLE WANZER, the Prize Machine of the World.
Agents for the colonies: GIBBS, SHALLARD, and CO., Printers and Publishers, 108, Pitt-street, Sydney.

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The WHEELER and WILSON
SEWING-MACHINE
(reduced price),
has recently attracted so much attention and become so great a favourite with the public, that sellers of counterfeit machines have in the most shameless manner advertised and exhibited their machines under the well-known name, "WHEELER and WILSON."
This is done in an artful manner, so as to avoid legal proceedings.
No imitation machine can compare with the original.
None work so well;
None will last so long;
And, at the reduced prices,
None are cheaper.
No machines are genuine unless they have this trade mark on the cloth-plate—
WHEELER and WILSON,
M. F. G. Co.,
Bridgeport, Conn.;
and the
MEDALLION TRADE MARK
on the
BEDPLATE.
LONG and CO.,
64, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne,
Head Agency for Australian Colonies and New Zealand.

SEWING-MACHINES.—The largest assortment of genuine machines in the Australian colonies.

Singer's Family, with all accessories ..	£9 10 0
Wheeler and Wilson's machines ..	7 10 0
Genuine Howe's A family machines ..	9 9 0

C Machines for leather work, also Howe's hand machines. Special advantages to purchasers, machines on easy terms of payment; also kept in order twelve months without charge. 15 descriptions of machines to choose from. Any machine purchased and not approved of will be exchanged within one month for any other in stock. N.B.—Every description of sewing-machines repaired at
TURNER and WOOD'S, 349, George-street.

SEWING MACHINES, all descriptions, Repaired, cleaned, and adjusted. Miller, 181, Castlereagh-street.

TRIAL BEFORE PURCHASE.—Willcox and Gibbs's Sewing-machine. S. Hebblewhite, 432, George-st.

WEIR'S genuine HAND MACHINES, just received ex Patriarch. TURNER and WOOD, 349, Geo.-st.

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UNDERCLOTHING BUSINESS for SALE, centrally situated. Profit, HERALD Office.

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GALVANIZED IRON, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 feet, now landing. CAIRD, PATERSON, and CO.

MUNTZ Yellow METAL, 16 to 26 oz.; nails and rods, sheathing felt, and cordage. Caird, Paterson, & Co.

PORTABLE STEAM-ENGINE, 14-horse power; 5 h. p. vertical Engines. Caird, Paterson, and Co.

HOWARD'S ADJUSTABLE NURSERY GATE and PROTECTIVE WINDOW BAR.
Patented July 11, 1871.
A practical and useful invention, to save the limbs and often the lives of young children; and being made adjustable, will fit any ordinary door, window, or staircase. No nails or hinges are required to keep it in its place, being held firmly by a powerful pressure, without the slightest injury to the most delicate woodwork. No family should be without them.
Sole Agents for Australia—
S. HOFFNUNG and CO.,
159 and 161, Pitt-street.

GLASS FILTERS for TABLE USE, Atkins' Patent, reduced to 10s 6d each. Mac Donnell and Co., Geo.-st.

SUPERIOR ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.
We are now clearing out our importations of choice Plated Ware at
LARGE REDUCTIONS
on ordinary prices. Persons requiring Plated Ware will find the present an unusual opportunity for procuring first-class articles at low rates.
W. MAC DONNELL and CO.
(Late Brush and Mac Donnell.)

HORTICULTURAL TOOLS and IMPLEMENTS of every description, and the most approved makes, in great variety.
F. LASSETTER and CO., 421, George-street.

IRON TANKS, 400 and 200 gallons, for SALE, on board the ship La Hogue, Circular Quay; also, a small quantity of Red Metallic Oxide PAINT.

BLACK IRON TUBE, 3d per foot
W. CARY, Railway Bridge.

GAS CHANDELIERS, NOW ON VIEW, just landed ex Peeress. 99, Bathurst-street.

GAS BRACKETS, HARP and HALL LAMPS, cork slide and other pendants. 99, Bathurst-street.

BRASS PILLAR BEER-ENGINES, and polished Sheet Pewter for hotel counters. 99, Bathurst-st.

PEWTER BEER and SPIRIT MEASURES, half-gallon down. THOMAS J. BOWN and CO., Plumbers, Gasfitters, Galvanized Iron Workers, &c. Repairs executed by experienced workmen. 99, Bathurst-st.

TO IRONMONGERS AND STOREKEEPERS.

Hoop iron, 1¼ to 2 inch; carron bones, 2½ to 3½ inch
Fencing wire, Ryland's, 8 and 9; wire strainers
Hilton's Portland cement, chalk and whiting
Linseed oil, raw and boiled, in wood and drums
Devoe's kerosene oil, white and coloured paint
Galvanized nails and screws; bolts and nuts, ¼ to ⅞ inch
Anchors, galvanized and black; coil chain, ¼ to 1 inch
Bunting; canvas, 1 to 6; seaming twine, sailors' palms
Blacksmiths' bellows, 30 and 32 inch; anvils and vyces
Tinsmiths' wire, 4 to 12 gauge; fishhooks
Butchers' knives, 5 to 18 inch; dagger knives, scissors
Muskets, single-barrel guns; shot, 1 to 6; bullets
Chisels, socket and firmer; tower bolts, Salter's balances
Avery's weighing machines, Gray and Beardshaw's handsaws
Collins' and Weed's axes, hunters' hatchets, half axes
Axe-handles, lath and broad hatchets
Hall's gunpowder, FFF, FF, jet and brilliant
Zinc and black tacks, patent nails, 1½ to 6
Hinges, bolt, T and hook eye; files, wings, taper and flat
Curtain bands, brass taps, percussion caps
Horse-shoes, trace chains, hobble chains
Copper rivets and nails to 3 inch, copper tacks.
RABONE, FEEZ, and CO.,
Wynyard-street.

FOR SALE, 3000 3-bushel BAGS, all in sound condition. C. KIDMAN and SON, South Head Road.

QUICKSILVER for SALE, best Spanish. TALBOT and SON, Circular Quay. September 19th, 1872.

QUICKSILVER, Tapioca, Sago, Spices, Chinese Oil for SALE. F. G. LENDER and CO., Jamison-st.

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ADELAIDE WHEAT, FLOUR, and BRAN on SALE; superfine, households, and seconds, Hart's, Noarlunga, McLaren Vale, and Landseer's brands.
C. WILSON, 64, Margaret-street.

JOSEPH WEARNE, Anchor Flour Mills, foot of Bathurst-street, Sydney.
Silk-dressed Superfine Flour, Seconds Flour, Kiln-dried Corn Meal, &c., the best and cheapest in Sydney.

FLOUR, GRAIN, OATMEAL.
The undersigned have consignments on hand of
ADELAIDE FLOUR—Duffield's superfine
Hart's superfine
Dunn's superfine
Bowman's superfine
Duffield's fine
Dunn's fine
Duffield's household.
ADELAIDE WHEAT
BEILBY and SCOTT.

LEA and PERRINS' celebrated WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, declared by connoisseurs to be the only good sauce.
CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.
The success of this most delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
ASK FOR LEA AND PERRINS' SAUCE,
and to see that their names are upon the wrapper, labels, stopper, and bottle.
Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea and Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power-of-attorney to take instant proceedings against manufacturers and vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.
Ask for LEA and PERRINS' Sauce, and see name on wrapper, label, bottle, and stopper.
Wholesale and for Export by the proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by grocers and oilmen universally.
To be obtained of
Messrs. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO., Sydney.

POTATOES.—Superior samples Circular Head and Warrnambool, now landing. C. B. BOND, Sussex-st.

VINEGAR of first-rate quality, Australian Vinegar Works, Wattle-st., Chippendale, Sydney. D. J. Monk.

ACACIA TEAS.—New Seasons, finest qualities. LORIMER, MARWOOD, and ROME, Importers.

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SEASONED CEDAR, assorted; turned work every kind, moderate prices. Stewart's, Pitt and Bathurst sts.

G. O. ANCHOR Plain IRON, 24 x 30 inch, 24, 26, 28 gauge. W. CARY, Railway Bridge.

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900,000 FEET TIMBER of all descriptions.
DOORS, SASHES, Casements, Mantelpieces, Skirtings, Mouldings, &c., on hand, and made to order.
GALVANIZED IRON, 4½ to 10 feet; Ridging, Guttering, Nails, Screws, Wire Netting, &c.
DRAIN PIPES, Chimney Pots, Air and Fire Bricks, &c.
GOODLET and SMITH, Victoria Saw and Moulding Mills, 483, George-street; and 7, Parramatta-street.

400,000 FEET Foreign and Colonial Pine. ROLFE, Circular Quay.

500,000 FEET Hardwood, Cedar Doors, Sashes. ROLFE, Circular Quay.

"MARBLE LIME FROM THE MANNING RIVER appears all that can be desired—well burnt, perfectly soluble, leaving no residuum, and entirely caustic, light, and porous, and in consequence of its causticity and porosity absorbs water with the greatest avidity, becoming greatly increased in volume, producing a soft and uniform white powder, every particle of which is available.
"J. S. NORRIE.
"109, William-street, October 12."
Shipments just received ex Fire King and Grafton steamers, at Marble Lime Co.'s Wharf, 8, King-street.

PATENT Wrought NAILS, 1½, 2, 2½, 3, and 4 inch, cheap. Goodlet & Smith, 483, Geo.-st., nr. Bathurst-st.

200,000 BEST Forest Oak SHINGLES, just landed. Miller and Harrison.

HARDWOOD of all kinds, Galvanized Iron, Pine Boards of every description, Slates, Cement, and Plaster of Paris, at lowest prices. MILLER and HARRISON, Albion Wharf.

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TO CAPITALISTS.—For SALE, a well-finished and substantially-built two-story HOUSE in Piper-street, Woollahra, stuccoed brick walls on stone foundations, slate roof. An excellent letting property. Apply to J. G. Waller and Co., 400, George-street.

FOR SALE, at South Kingston, a large COTTAGE RESIDENCE, suitable for a respectable family, and in a most healthy position. The land has a frontage to two streets of 66 feet, by a depth of about 300 feet, and now let at £60 per annum. Apply to W. BAILEY, Builder, South Kingston.

LAND.—The most eligible SITE in Burwood for SALE, in one or two lots 12½ acres, securely fenced, adjoining Thorneleigh, the residence of Charles Thomas, Esq. Apply to Mr. Cohen, Burwood.

FOR SALE, cheap, FREEHOLD PREMISES, Woolloomooloo. COLLIS, 205, Parramatta-street.

CHARMING Residence, situate in the heart of Balmain, for SALE. W. DOUGLASS, 78, King-st.

MANSION AND SUBURBAN ESTATE, WAVERLEY, overlooking Nelson Bay, about three miles from Sydney.

For SALE, by PRIVATE CONTRACT, that first-class Family Mansion, "PALMERSTON," Waverley, overlooking Bondi Bay and the ocean together with the extensive highly ornamental grounds, containing an area of about 22 ACRES.

Palmerston is substantially built of stone from a design by Mr. E. T. Blacket, the well-known architect, who also superintended its erection. It contains large, lofty, well-proportioned drawing and dining rooms, library, seven bedrooms, bath-room (with hot and cold water), kitchen, laundry, butler's pantry, and every desirable family convenience. At the rear is an enclosed paved yard, and detached (screened by luxuriant shrubbery from the house), is a well-appointed stable, coach-house, hayloft, groom's room, stable yard, &c. The whole of these premises are well drained; and, on an elevated part of the grounds, considerably above the house, is a large stone reservoir, into which flows a pure, and never-failing stream of good water, which is conveyed to the house by iron pipes, copiously supplying the bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, &c.

Nothing can exceed the extreme beauty of the grounds, which at great expense have been artistically laid out with skilful judgment and tasteful and pleasing effect. An extensive lawn of soft velvet turf, with handsome fountain and miniature lake in the centre, fronts the house. The surrounding domain comprises sunny glades, opening into shrubberies of choice trees of varied hues and foliage, and a delightful valley bounded by rising undulating ground studded with clumps of evergreens and flowering shrubs, and through which a pretty brook winds its tortuous way. This rivulet takes its rise from the high land, and is a very pleasing feature in the landscape. It falls into the valley by a series of romantic waterfalls, near each of which, crossing the stream, are picturesque wooden bridges. The banks are turfed with a rich grass sward, and here and there are tastefully-disposed grottoes and rockeries, covered with ferns and water plants of every description. On one portion of the grounds are a fine orangery, a banana plantation, an orchard, kitchen garden, and paddock.

For further particulars, cards to view, and inspection of plan, apply to RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Pitt-street.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

LANDAU for SALE, nearly new, built by Rock and Son, of Hastings. Apply to J. R. F., HERALD Office.

HANDSOME Cob, up to weight, £20; stylish buggy Horse, £16; heavy draught, any trial, £25; bay good Hack, £10. M'CARTY and CO., 256, Pitt-street, opposite Moore's Labour Bazaar; 235, Castlereagh-street.

CHESNUT Saddle and Harness, £10; Horse, Spring-cart, and Harness, £12. M'Carty and Co., 250, Pitt-st.

DOGCART, £25; Park Phaeton, £35; Spring-cart, £10. All descriptions of harness. M'Carty and Co.

GIBSON'S New Repository, 64, Hunter-street.—Horses and vehicles of every kind for Sale or Hire.

GIBSON'S NEW REPOSITORY, 64, Hunter-street. Light hooded PHAETON, good order, carries 4, £25.

BUGGY HORSES. GIBSON, New Repository, 64, Hunter-street. 3 pairs for SALE.

NEW and second-hand BUGGIES, cheap. GIBSON'S New Repository, 64, Hunter-street.

BAY COB, Spring-cart, and Harness,—a first-rate lot, £16. GIBSON, Hunter-street.

TRAY Buggy, Horse and Harness, £50; double-seat Buggy, Horse, and Harness, £30. KNIGHT.

NEW Express Waggon, £32; new Tray Buggy and Harness, £35; Dogcart, £15. KNIGHT.

BUGGY Sociable, cut-under, £45; stylish new double-seat Buggy, £40. KNIGHT, 257, Castlereagh-st.

SOCIABLE, nearly new, £25; Waggon, £15; Van and Harness, £12; Spring-cart, Har., £10. Knight.

GREY first-class buggy Horse, £18, bay quiet buggy, sadd'e, and side-saddle Horse, £12. KNIGHT.

HANDSOME piebald good Hack, up to 16 stone, £15; pair good buggy Horses, £20. KNIGHT.

BUGGIES! BUGGIES! WAGGONS! CARTS, &c.
The largest, cheapest, and best assortment in the colony. Buggies, £26; Waggons, £26, Spring-carts, £13, at
ROBERTSON'S
STEAM COACH and BUGGY MANUFACTORY,
Pitt-street, near Haymarket.
N.B.—Country visitors are invited to inspect the Works.

FOR SALE, cheap, a second-hand, Grocer's CART. Apply to LEES and M'LAUGHLIN, Liverpool-street, near George-street.

FOR SALE, SPRING-CART, Horse, and Harness. Brown, corner of Young and Cooper streets, Redfern.

FOR SALE, a very handsome Chesnut HORSE, Hooded Buggy, and Harness. 434, George-street.

HORSES, light Spring-vans, and Harness TO BE SOLD cheap. Liverpool and Macquarie streets.

BUGGIES of all descriptions, light Travelling Waggons, Sociables, &c. T. MOORE, South Head Rd.

STOCK AND STATIONS.

FOR SALE.—2000 Fat WEDDERS, 56 lbs., now running near Forbes, Lachlan River. Applications to be made to J. and D. THOMPSON, Grenfell.

AUCTION SALES.

Horses, heavy and light
Vehicles, Harness, and Saddlery.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
As above.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
☞ Horses and Vehicles on hire.

Neat Turnout.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
A first-rate grey horse, with a Whitechapel cart and harness.

First-class Draught Colts.

GEORGE KISS is instructed by E. Smith, Esq., of Ginninderra, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on TUESDAY next, at 11 o'clock,
6 very heavy draught horses, 4 to 6 years old, 16 to 17 hands high, and subject to any trial. Also, 2 first-rate light horses.

First-class Buggies.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock,
A first-class cut-under sociable buggy, with varnished hickory under-carriage and wheels, trimmed with blue leather; lamps and shafts
An American second-hand cut-up double-seat buggy, with hood, made by Lawrence, Bradley, and Pardee, New York, in first-rate order, with shafts and lamps
A new first-class double-seat buggy, painted lake, and fine-lined vermillion; shafts only.

S. WOOLLER sells by auction, daily, at his Yards, Horses, &c. (late Martyn's), Pitt-street.
N.B.—No charge for entering horses, &c., for sale.
☞ Horses and buggies on hire.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by Richard Humphries, Esq., to sell by auction, at the New Central Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 23rd September, at 11 o'clock,
1416 prime fat wethers.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by Messrs. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co. to sell by auction, at Ellis and Co.'s Yards, on TUESDAY, 24th September, at 12 o'clock,
1868 prime fat wethers, by rail from Wallerawang, and very superior.

MR. T. SULLIVAN has received instructions from James White, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock,
300 head of prime and weighty fat bullocks, from his noted Martindale Paddocks, in lots.

MR. T. SULLIVAN has received instructions from the Messrs. Clark, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock.
160 head of prime and weighty fat bullocks, from their celebrated Gullendaddy Paddocks.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from William York, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 23rd September, at Homebush,
533 wethers, from the celebrated Lawson flocks.
The fleece from these sheep averaging over 8s per head last season.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.
T. F. MACKENZIE will sell, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.
6 bodies prime beef, 50 carcases prime mutton, heavy weights.

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AUCTION SALES.

H. W. BLOMFIELD has been instructed by those celebrated breeders of fine-woolled sheep, James Gibson and David Taylor, Esqs., of Tasmania, to offer for sale, at the latter end of October, or beginning of November,
A few superior stud rams, by their prize animals Sir Thomas, King Billy, and Wainstead.
For further particulars apply to H. W. BLOMFIELD, 434, George-street.

Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.

Substantial Household Furniture and Effects, comprising—Horsehair Couch and Chairs, Loo, Telescope, and other Tables; Pier Glasses, Carpets, Chiffonieres, Chests of Drawers, Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Toilet Glasses, Washstands and Sets, Stoves, Mangles, Chaffcutters, Carriage Harness, Counters, Shop Fixtures, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street,
The above.

MONDAY, 23rd September, at 11 o'clock.

Under Bill of Sale.

Ice Hotel, South Head Road.

License, Fixtures, Bar Fittings, Gas Fittings, Billiard-bagatelle Table, Beer Engine, Stock-in-Trade, Furniture, and Effects.

ALFRED CHANDLER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, Ice Hotel, South Head Road, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
The above effects.
Without reserve.

Unredeemed Pledges.

LISTER and GRISDALE will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock, at their Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, the unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. Sly, Bridge-st., as advertised on 14th, 18th, and 21st inst., clothing, 11; jewellery, 2.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

THIS DAY, 23rd September, at 11 o'clock, at the Auction Mart, corner of Pitt and Park streets.

Established a quarter of a century.

Rosewood Cottage Piano, Chests of Drawers, Chiffonieres, Bedsteads, Bedding, China, Glass, Kitchen Requisites, &c.; also
Horse, Dogcart, and Harness, Market Cart and Harness, Ploughs, Wheelbarrows, Drills, Garden and Farm Tools, Milch Cow, and sundries too numerous to particularise.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed to sell by auction (D.V.),
The above.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

Peremptory Sale by Auction.

Under Bill of Sale.

THIS DAY, 23rd September, at two (2) o'clock sharp.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN is instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, Parramatta-street, opposite Abercrombie-street,
The goodwill of a butcher's business, in full trade, together with sausage-machine, filler, scales, weights, boilers, blocks, and everything complete for carrying on an extensive business.
Without reserve. Terms at sale.

TUESDAY next, 24th instant, at 11 a.m.

At the Premises, No. 235½, Macquarie-street North, opposite the Sydney Infirmary.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE of VERY SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS
RICHLY Cut and Engraved GLASS
CHOICE China Dessert Service (hand painted)
China Breakfast and Tea Services
HANDSOME Dinner Service
STERLING SILVER PLATE
Elkington, Mason, and Co.'s, first quality ELECTRO-PLATE
MASSIVE Mahogany Telescope Dining Table, patent screw
HANDSOME Mahogany Sideboard
Brussels Carpets and Hearthrugs
VALUABLE Oil Paintings and CHOICE Engravings
Gilt frame Pier Glasses, Bookcases
BRILLIANT-TONED Walnut Wood Cottage PIANOFORTE, with all the most modern improvements
ELEGANT Walnut Wood Drawing-room Suite, covered in green rep
Drawing-room Ornaments, &c.
HANDSOME Mahogany double-winged Wardrobe, plate-glass centre doors
IRON TUBULAR 4-Post Single and Double Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, Palliasses, Blankets and Sheets
Marble Slab Washstands and Toilet Services
Chests Drawers, Towel Horses
KITCHEN UTENSILS, and sundries.

To Gentlemen Furnishing and Furniture Dealers.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Premises, No. 235½, Macquarie-street North, opposite the Sydney Infirmary, on TUESDAY next, 24th instant, at 11 a.m.,
The above.
Terms, cash.
Catalogues may be obtained at the Rooms.

On view TO-DAY, 23rd instant, and from 9 a.m. on morning of sale.

COLONIAL SUGARS
Just received from Port Macquarie.

FINE and MEDIUM COUNTER SUGARS, in pockets.

For Unreserved Sale by auction, WEDNESDAY, 25th September.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on WEDNESDAY, 25th September, at 11 o'clock,
60 small bags colonial counter sugars.
Terms at sale.

Groceries, Fruits, Oilmen's Stores, Sugars, &c.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on WEDNESDAY, 25th September, at 11 o'clock,
Parcels of fine counter and ration sugars
Groceries, oilmen's stores, bottled beer, &c.
Terms at sale.

TIN ORE AND TIN.

Important Sale by Public Auction,
Valuable Parcels of Tin Ore,
from the following mines:—
The CALEDONIAN
ST. LEONARDS
QUEENSLAND
WILSON'S DOWNFALL
COMET.

THURSDAY, 26th September.

To Merchants, Speculators, and others.
. Intending Purchasers are invited to obtain samples for assay.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, 26th September, at noon,
Valuable parcels of tin ore, assays of which will be made prior to sale.
Also,
Smelted tin.
Further particulars will be advertised.
Terms, cash.

THURSDAY, 26th instant.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.

New Goods, just landed ex Sarah Grice, of the favourite manufacture of Nathan Joseph.

To the Trade, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from the importers, Messrs. SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO., to sell by auction, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street North, next the Bank of Australasia, on THURSDAY, the 26th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
A small invoice of new and seasonable goods, just landed ex Sarah Grice, in first-rate order, comprising—
Ladies' lasting boots, toes and plain, sewn and rivets, military and spring
Ladies' cashmere ditto, ditto, ditto, ditto
Girls' 10-13 and 6-9 kid and memel M.H. rivets
Women's memel M.H. rivets
Misses' lasting and memel M.H. rivets
Children's 2-5 coloured, roan E.S. and balmorals
&c., &c.
Terms, liberal, at sale.
No reserve.

POSTPONED UNTIL TUESDAY, September 24, 1872.
Not landed.

148 Cases Hayward and Company's American Chairs.
Now landing ex Nardoo.

To Cabinetmakers, Shippers, Storekeepers, and others.

Under instructions from Messrs. R. Towns and Co.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Wynyard-lane, next to Cohen's Hotel, on TUESDAY next, September 24, 1872, at 11 o'clock precisely,
148 cases Heywood and Company's American chairs, comprising
Washington wood-seated
Ditto cane
Heywood's Grecian
Common hand rockers
Douglas office
Union dining oak
Florence ditto
Children's oak.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, September 24, 1872.

30 Cases Wood-seated Chairs, more or less stained.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell, at the Rooms, Wynyard-lane, next to Cohen's Hotel, on TUESDAY, September 24, 1872, at 11 o'clock precisely,
30 cases wood-seated chairs, more or less stained.
Terms, cash.

TUESDAY, September 24th, 1872.

American Buckets and Hand-spokes.
Under instructions from Messrs. R. Towns and Co.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Wynyard-lane, next to Cohen's Hotel, on TUESDAY next, September 24th, 1872, at 11 o'clock precisely,
Invoice of American buckets
Ditto ditto hand-spokes.
Terms at sale.

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132 Bales of Dundee and Belfast Goods.

Now landing from the DOROTHY and PATRIARCH.

On WEDNESDAY or THURSDAY next.

MESSRS. CHAS. MOORE and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY or THURSDAY next,
132 bales from the above ships, consisting of
3-bushel bags, 2¼ lbs.
Woolpacks, 10½ and 11 lbs.
Woolbagging, 22 oz., 28 inch
Bran bags, 27 x 49
Hessians, 36 inch and 40 inch
Tent canvas
Ore bagging
Forfars, assorted qualities
Towellings.
BELFAST GOODS.
Linen sheeting, 84 inch and 90 inch
Table damask and diapers
Hucks and turkish towels
Brown and white diapers
Pillow linens, dowlas, &c., &c.
Cambric handkerchiefs
Hollands, rough browns, &c.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

CALFSKINS.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 24th instant, at 11 a.m.,
10 dozen calfskins.

WAXED CALFSKINS, ex Peeress.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, 24th instant, at 11 a.m., at their Sale Rooms, Pitt-street,
2 cases waxed calf, 12, 13, 15, and 18.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TO-MORROW, 24th instant, at 11 a.m.

Ex Patriarch.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Sale Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock,
150 packages seasonable goods, from the manufactories of
NATHAN JOSEPH
DAVID JOSEPH
H. JACKSON and SONS
A. and W. FLATAU and CO., and others,
Comprising—
German lasting, E. S., plain and toe-capped
French and English cashmere, E. S., various
Kid, E. S., assorted styles
Imitation kid, E. S.
Memel, E. S., rivets
Girls' and Children's goods, in great variety
Colonial made goods
N. B. goloshes, &c.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY.

Sale of Drapery, Clothing, Manchester Goods.
Now landing ex Hallowe'en and Patriarch.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed to sell by auction, at his Rooms, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY next, 25th, at 11 o'clock,
31 bales and cases of the above, all new and seasonable goods.
Particulars in future issue.

Nottingham Lace Curtains
Spot Books, Worked Muslins, &c.

WEDNESDAY, September 25.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE will sell by auction, at his Rooms, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock prompt,
AC in diamond. 1406-10—5 cases of the above.
FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.
Terms, liberal.

DRAPERY.
38 Packages, new, just landed.

TO-MORROW, Tuesday, September 24.

WILLIAM PRICE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 329, George-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, September 24, at 11 o'clock,
38 packages in general drapery, slops, hosiery, haberdashery, &c., &c., consisting of

Flannels, plain, coloured, and printed	Women's striped
Ditto crimean	Men's undershirts
Crimean shirts, light ground	Men's tweed trousers and vests
Flouncings	Ditto ditto suits
Muslins	Felt hats
Fancy trimmings	Cambric handkerchiefs
Braids	Gambroons
Men's white shirts	Brown hollands
Ditto regatta ditto	Grey calicoes
Ditto brown half-hose	White ditto
Women's white cotton hose	Fancy tweeds.
&c.,	&c.

Terms at sale.

SLOPS.

WILLIAM PRICE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 329, George-street, on TUESDAY next, September 24, at 11 o'clock,
9 cases superior slops, suitable for present season, and consisting of—
Fancy riding jackets, sacs, paget coats, suits, vests, trousers, &c., &c., in a variety of materials, and of the latest styles in cut.
Terms at sale.

Barque Lion,
so well and favourably known in the Intercolonial Trade.
250 tons register.

On account of whom it may concern.

To Shipowners, Timber Coasters, Colliers, and Island Traders.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Patent Slip Wharf, on TUESDAY, September 24th, at half-past 3 o'clock p.m.,
The fine fast-sailing barque Lion, of 216 tons register, as she now lies in Cuthbert's Patent Slip.
This vessel is well found in spars, sails, and gear generally, inventory of which is to be seen at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, and with a moderate outlay can be turned to good advantage.
Full particulars and terms at sale.

Vermicelli and Macaroni.
Ex Dundonald.

By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on THURSDAY, September 26th, at 11 o'clock,
50 boxes macaroni and vermicelli (assorted descriptions) each 16 lbs.
Particulars at sale.

TIN ORE.
20 TONS.

Several parcels on account of various Consignees.

THIS DAY, September 23rd, at 11 o'clock.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, September 23rd, at 11 o'clock prompt,
20 tons tin ore, in parcels ranging from 73 to 75 per cent.
Terms, cash.

ORDER OF SALE.

Important to Warehousemen, Drapers, Storekeepers, Exporters, and the Trade.
At 11 sharp,
56 Cases HORROCKSES' LONGCLOTHS
25 Bales Woolpacks.

To Shipowners, Shipbuilders, Shipchandlers, and others.
At quarter-past 11.
30 Cases Muntz Metal
30 Kegs Compo. Nails.
After which,
Entire Cargo of the clipper barque Mary Blair, from Foo Chow, with the finest assortment of NEW SEASON TEAS.

☞ The undersigned solicit punctual attendance of buyers to their sales on TUESDAY; to commence as above at 11 sharp.
R. F. STUBBS and CO.

UNRESERVED SALE OF HORROCKSES' LONGCLOTHS.
56 Cases.

Ex Patriarch.

Important to Warehousemen, Manufacturers, Storekeepers, and the Trade.
An Invoice just received.
FOR POSITIVE SALE,
To close the Account.

TUESDAY, September 24, at the City Mart, under instructions from Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, September 24, at 11 o'clock,
34 cases Horrockses' As
15 ditto ditto Bs
7 ditto ditto Hs.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms liberal.

☞ The Auctioneers have received instructions to clear out this invoice WITHOUT RESERVE. The trade are requested to be in punctual attendance at 11 o'clock on TUESDAY. First line to be sold.

IRON STORE and BUILDINGS, at the rear of the Exchange, Pitt-street.

By order of the Directors of the Sydney Exchange Company.

To Contractors, Builders, and others.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, on the premises, Pitt-street North, on TUESDAY, October 1, at 2 o'clock p.m.,
The superior iron store and fittings at the rear of, and together with, the other buildings and erections fronting Pitt-street.
Also,
A quantity of timber, lamps, gasoliers, &c.
Full particulars at sale.

WOOLPACKS.
Extra striped F.W.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, September 24, at 11 o'clock,
25 bales extra super striped woolpacks, each 10½ lbs.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Terms liberal.

NEW SEASON'S TEAS.

Arrival of the clipper barque MARY BLAIR,
From Foochow direct, with the finest and most useful assortment of New Teas yet received.
Comprising
CHOICEST FIRST CROP SOUCHONG CONGOUS
FINEST EVEN LEAF MEDIUM KAISOWS
GOOD STRONG COUNTRY CONGOUS
RICH GOLDEN LEAF ORANGE PEKOES
EXTRA FINE HONG MAE TEAS.
In packets.

In fact, such a suitable cargo of NEW CROP TEA is seldom imported, embracing, as it does, the requirements of
TOWN GROCERS
COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS
WHOLESALE DEALERS
SQUATTERS' AGENTS
Exporters to Queensland and New Zealand
and the
General Trade of New South Wales.

☞ This cargo is placed in the market for UNRESERVED SALE by Auction, and the Auctioneers are requested to notify that every line offered will be closed out.
Muster packages now open at the Rooms, where buyers are requested to examine and liquor the various chops.

TUESDAY, September 24th, at the City Mart.
Under instructions from the Importers, Messrs. John Fraser and Co.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, September 24th, at 11 o'clock, for 11.30 a.m. SHARP,
The entire cargo of the Mary Blair, from Foo Chow, comprising
2181 chests finest Kaisow congous
3737 half-chests ditto ditto
2329 boxes ditto ditto
500 boxes choicest golden leaf pekoes
400 half-chests choice Hong Mae teas in packets, 3 to the lb.
. The intimate knowledge of the requirements of our market has enabled the Importers to order a cargo of such SUITABLE QUALITIES to meet the demand of every class of trade. In this shipment will be found all grades, from the CHOICEST FIRST CROP SOUCHONG to the FINE STRONG WELL FLAVOURED STATION CONGOU, now so much in request.
The Auctioneers solicit the attention of the trade, as their positive instructions from the Importers are to CLEAR OUT EVERY LINE.
Full particulars in cards.
Terms liberal.

Muntz Metal Co.'s Yellow Metal.
By order of the Consignees.

To Shipchandlers, Shipbuilders, Exporters, and others.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on TUESDAY, September 24, at 11 o'clock,
38 cases Muntz's yellow metal, each 100 sheets, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, and 26 oz.
30 kegs nails, 1¼ and 1½ inches.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms liberal.

Oilmen's Stores
Groceries.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock,
196 packages new goods.
Particulars at sale.
Terms liberal.

Hops and Dates.
Just landed ex Banian.
By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on TUESDAY, 24th, at 11 o'clock,
150 mats dates
and
5 pockets hops.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Terms at sale.

Sheep Shears.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th September, at 11 o'clock,
1 hogshead Rodgers's sheep-shears, 50 dozen.
In lots to suite purchasers.

Galvanized Corrugated Iron.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th September, at 11 o'clock,
3 cases galvanized corrugated iron.
Particulars at sale.

Whale Oil.

By order of the Consignees.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th September, at 11 o'clock,
13 casks whale oil (about 3½ tuns).
Terms at sale.

Auction Sale of SHARES, THIS DAY, Monday, at 11.

At the Bank Auction Rooms, 336, George-street.

HENRY MOON will sell by auction, as above,
SHARES in some of the best enterprises in GOLD, COPPER, and TIN in the Colony, also
200 Mutual Fire Insurance Shares.
Full particulars and terms at time of sale.
N.B.—The auctioneer will gladly receive instructions for further parcels up to time of sale.

Auctioneer's Notice.

FRANCIS FAHEY and CO. have received instructions to sell TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock, without the slightest reserve,
The following shares:—Carroll and Beards, Beyers and Holtermanns, Krohmanns, Browns, Rapps, Dayspringe, Lady Belmores, and other shares and interests in leases.
Particulars in to-morrow's HERALD.
☞ Persons desirous of having their shares offered for sale will please send particulars in writing, not later than 4 p.m. this day.
Exchange Auction Rooms, 11, Bridge-street.

The Miners' Exchange, 80, King-street.

E. T. GILBERT and CO. will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The following SHARES:—
4 Comets, Wattle Flat
4 Monitors
200 Lady Belmores
100 Crinolines
120 Golden Treasure, Tuena
30 Alfred Tennyson
10 Contributing Shares, Tambaroora
50 Fully paid-up
120 South Star, No. 3, 2s paid
24 Ditto, 20s ditto
200 Waverleys
1000 Rex Tin
300 Star of Tenterfield
200 Cowra Copper
1 Full share Happy-go-Luck, Lower Turon
½ Share, 5-acre lease, next Great Wheel of Fortune
1-16th Golden Crown, Gulgong
250 Beaumonts, Marshall's Line
50 Rising Sun, Tambaroora
300 Buckinbah Copper
250 Gympie Caledonians
300 King of Ranges
500 Rex Tin.
Also, interests in various leases.

Preliminary Notice.
ALLOTMENTS of GROUND, SYDNEY COMMON.

E. T. GILBERT and CO. have received instructions from the proprietors to sell by public auction (ON THE GROUND) several allotments of land in the above named vicinity, on MONDAY, September 30, at 11 o'clock, full particulars of which will appear in future issue.

CAMDEN-TERRACE,
NEWTOWN ROAD AND STATION-STREET.

COMMODIOUS COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with garden and large Block of Land, between the residences of Mrs. Gibbes and William Jolly, Esq.

TITLE—TORRENS'S ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 23rd September, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of land, having a frontage of 65 FEET TO THE NEWTOWN ROAD, with a DEPTH of about 240 FEET, extending to STATION-STREET, to which it has also a frontage of 65 feet, on which is a commodious brick-built verandah cottage, occupied by John Macintosh, Esq. It contains hall, dining-room, drawing-room, bedroom, each 24 feet in length, dressing-room, 3 other bedrooms, kitchen, laundry, storeroom, &c.; a never-failing water supply is obtained from a large underground cemented brick-lined tank, and from two wells. In front there is a tastefully arranged garden, and, at the rear large yard and shrubbery, a brick cottage of 3 rooms and an extensive range of stabling.

☞ This is a well-situated comfortable family residence, a few yards from Camden College, and within two or three minutes' walk from the Newtown Railway station. The sale is to close a trust and will be made absolutely to the highest bidder. Special attention is, therefore, directed to it and inspection invited.

Cards to view may be obtained on application.
Terms at sale.

UNRESERVED SALE.

SAINT MARY'S, SOUTH CREEK.

DEMPSEY'S well-known beautifully situated 45-ACRE PADDOCK on the Western Road, close to the South Creek Railway Station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney,
THIS DAY, 23rd SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of land, being Lot 25 of the subdivision of the O'Connell Estate, containing 45 ACRES, between Messrs. Hadley and Cummings' purchases, and having an extensive frontage to the Western Road.

☞ This well-known property is enclosed, cleared, and stumped, forming a fine grazing meadow paddock. The soil is elevated, and commands an extensive view of the surrounding country.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION.

ALLOTMENT OF LAND, ALT-STREET, at the crossing beyond the station, adjoining land belonging to THOMAS WILD, Esq.
It has 40½ feet frontage to ALT-STREET, with a depth of 156 feet, being Lot 1 as per Plan of Mr. THOMAS BAKER'S subdivision.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 27th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above described allotment of land Ashfield.

Plan at the Rooms.

HILL and CLISSOLD'S
WELL-KNOWN WOOLWASHING WORKS, CANTERBURY,
for Positive Sale, to close
PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

Terms liberal.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Messrs. HILL and CLISSOLD—in consequence of the retirement of the firm from woolwashing and fellmongering—to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on
MONDAY, the 7th OCTOBER next,
The above valuable property.

These extensive and complete woolwashing and fellmongering premises are situated on the south side of Cook's River, opposite the old Sugar Works, and embrace about 20 acres of land, adjoining the Dam, which is now in substantial order. The works are erected high above flood level, and comprise—

Engine-house, containing a highly-finished 25-horse power engine, by Chapman, with large tubular boiler equal to 40-horse power.

There is also a small boiler in connection with the engine, to economise fuel in firing the large boiler. Centrifugal pump, 3 feet diameter, capable of throwing 20 tons of water per minute. The supply of water is inexhaustible.

Adjoining the engine-house is the sorting room, capable of working 16 sorters, while underneath is the washing place, fitted with all appliances for 17 washers, the soaking tubs being supplied with steam heating power.

These buildings are substantially built of brick and stone, and are all in first-rate order.

The packing and bin room is conveniently placed, and is fitted with first-rate press. Adjoining it are the receiving stores, capable of holding 2000 bales of wool under cover.

The drying ground adjoins the packing-room, and is between 3 and 4 acres in extent, all well grassed, and admitted to be the quickest drying ground about Sydney.

The works, in full swing, are capable of washing 200 bales of greasy wool per week, and in unexceptionable weather they have turned out even a larger quantity.

The property is only seven miles from the Wool Stores, Circular Quay, by a good road all the way, and is about 1½ mile from the Ashfield Railway Station, also by a good road.

Wool sheets, drays, horses, harness, wood, and coal to be taken at a valuation by arbitration.

As an investment for capital in one of the most profitable businesses around Sydney, the sale of the above premises offers an unusually favourable opportunity, as they are brought into the market at the very opening of a season which promises more greasy wool for washing than the average quantity of past years. One other great advantage may also be commented on: The works from first to last are now in perfect order, and are ready to be put to work at six hours' notice without the further outlay of a single shilling.

Further particulars of this important property may be obtained at the auctioneers', where cards to inspect may also be obtained—it being the express instructions of the proprietors, who are retiring from these works with a fortune, that every facility should be afforded intending purchasers to thoroughly examine the whole property.

THIS DAY.

ORDER OF SALE.

CITY, SUBURBAN, and COUNTRY FREEHOLDS, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, for half-past 11 o'clock prompt.

MILLER'S POINT.	Stone House, No. 22, Clyde-street, east side, near Miller's Road.
SURRY HILLS.	Block of Land, Botany and Chisholm streets, opposite Short-street, near South Head Road.
DARLING POINT.	Family Residence, "DARLING HEIGHT," with TWO ACRES of IMPROVED GROUNDS, the choicest site on the Point, between Lindsay and Carthona. Also Allotment No 30 of the Glenhurst Estate, fronting Darling Point Road.
NEWTOWN.	Commodious Cottage Residence, Camden-terrace, Newtown Road and Station street, occupied by John Macintosh, Esq.
ILLAWARRA ROAD.	8 acres 2 roods 20 perches Land, Illawarra Road, portion of J. C. Laycock, Esq.'s, subdivision, near Gannon's Forest.
SOUTH CREEK.	Dempsey's 45-Acre Paddock, on the Western Road, lot 25 of the O'Connell Estate, close to the station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

UNRESERVED SALE.

THIS DAY.

DARLING POINT.

DARLING HEIGHT,
together with TWO ACRES OF HIGHLY IMPROVED GROUNDS, the
CHOICEST SITE ON THE POINT,
between "LINDSAY" and "CARTHONA" and having extensive frontage to the Darling Point Road.

This delightfully situated and well-known Family Residence and Grounds are for absolute sale THIS DAY,
RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

DARLING POINT.

That delightfully situated Family Residence,
DARLING HEIGHT,
together with TWO ACRES OF HIGHLY IMPROVED GROUNDS, the
CHOICEST SITE ON THE POINT,
between "LINDSAY" and "CARTHONA," and having extensive frontage to the Darling Point Road.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from D. Bulman, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,
THIS DAY, 23rd SEPTEMBER,
at 11 o'clock,
DARLING HEIGHT and GROUNDS,
DARLING POINT.

THE RESIDENCE is built of brick and stone, and has a slated roof. The accommodation comprises spacious drawing and dining rooms, library, a breakfast room, 5 bedrooms, one of which is very large, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, store, &c. The elevation is of the modern villa style, irregular and attractive, with wide verandahs back and front. The out-buildings consist of stables, coach-house, harness and groom's room, laundry with copper, &c. A never-failing supply of water is secured by a large underground tank.

THE GROUNDS comprise an area of TWO ACRES of FREEHOLD LAND, which at considerable cost and with great taste has been terraced, planted, and arranged into lawns, parterres of flowers and exuberant shrubberies, interspersed with fine mature ornamental trees. The views from the grounds are unsurpassed for extent and beauty, Darling Height being acknowledged one of the CHOICEST SITES ON THE POINT.

☞ Beautiful as are all the headlands of the harbour, yet Darling Point, first selected for division and suburban occupation, has always held its position in regard to value and the magnificent scenery it commands. In proof of this it is only necessary to notice the many charming family homesteads which occupy the promontory, each having its distinct character, its peculiar aspect, and diversity of arrangement, the whole producing a striking picturesque effect. Not the least among these choice properties, especially in respect to position and aspect, stands "Darling Height," which for prominence and the extent of scenery it commands is second only to Mount Adelaide. It is in the market for ABSOLUTE SALE, and the opportunity (which so rarely occurs) for purchasing a freehold in this locality will commend it to the attention of many now seeking a superior suburban residence.

Cards to view may be obtained on application at the Rooms, where plan can be inspected.
Terms at sale.

PEREMPTORY SALE.

RILEY-STREET, SURRY HILLS,
between FOVEAUX and FITZROY STREETS.

2 Houses, Nos. 394, 396, built of brick, each containing 4 rooms, detached kitchen and servant's room, with balcony in front.
TITLE—Apply to Messrs. LEVY and DE LISSA, Solicitors, Pitt-street.
Terms at sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 2nd October,
Those two houses, Nos. 394 and 396, RILEY-STREET, between FOVEAUX and FITZROY STREETS, Surry Hills, built of brick, each containing 4 rooms, detached kitchen and servant's room, with balcony in front, and now in the occupation of Mr. Alley and Mr. Ford.

☞ This is a really desirable freehold property, in a respectable and healthy neighbourhood, and in a locality which is sure to command constant tenancy. It is now in the market for POSITIVE SALE, and is well worth the attention of any one on the look out for GOOD PAYABLE INVESTMENTS.

PEREMPTORY SALE.

SOUTH HEAD ROAD,
nearly opposite the FLAGSTAFF,
and next to the residence of the late Captain Robinson, now in the occupation of Captain Jack.

VALUABLE Block of Freehold Land, containing nearly half an acre, with extensive frontage to the SOUTH HEAD ROAD.

TITLE unquestionable.—TERMS at sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 25th September,
The above described valuable freehold allotment, situated in one of the very best positions on the SOUTH HEAD ROAD, and commanding splendid and most extensive views.
Plan on view at Mort's Rooms.

CHOICE MARINE VILLA RESIDENCE.

CLIFF COTTAGE, WATSON'S BAY,
the residence of Captain Gibson.
TITLE unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 25TH SEPTEMBER,
That charming Villa Residence, situate at Watson's Bay, known as
CLIFF COTTAGE,
containing hall, 10 rooms, kitchen with stove, and storeroom.

☞ In introducing the sale of this property to the notice of the public, the auctioneers desire to impress on them the many sterling advantages it possesses, the area of land suitable for all the requirements of a good suburban residence; the convenient arrangements of the house, its contiguity to the steam ferry, yet at sufficient distance to prevent the slightest annoyance, the regular communication with Sydney by mail, the daily visits of tradespeople, the charming views it commands, all combine to render it one of the choicest suburban residences to be met with.

POSITIVE SALE.

SMITHERS-STREET, WAVERLEY,
near the Tea Gardens.

Choice Cottage Residence, now in the occupation of Mr. Macpherson, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, &c., &c., with about half-an-acre of first-rate garden ground, well stocked with fruit trees, in full bearing.

TITLE—unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 25TH SEPTEMBER,
That choice Cottage Residence, situate in SMITHERS-STREET, WAVERLEY, near the TEA GARDENS, built of weatherboards on stone foundations, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, outhouses, &c., with about half-an-acre of first-rate land, laid out as a garden, and well stocked with choice fruit trees, now in full bearing. There is an abundant and never-failing supply of water on the property.

☞ This sale presents an opportunity of securing a really choice suburban residence within easy access of Sydney (the 'buses running every 10 minutes), which should not be lost sight of, the proprietor's instructions being most peremptory to effect a sale.

WEDNESDAY, 25th September, 1872.

IMPORTANT AND VALUABLE SALE of CITY, SUBURBAN, AND COUNTRY FREEHOLD AND LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES, by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 25th September.

WATSON'S BAY.	That charming villa residence, situate at Watson's Bay, known as CLIFF COTTAGE, containing hall, 10 rooms, kitchen, with stove, and store-room.
SOUTH HEAD ROAD, nearly opposite the FLAGSTAFF.	Valuable block of freehold land, containing nearly half an acre, with extensive frontage to the SOUTH HEAD ROAD, next to the residence of Captain Jack.
ELIZABETH-STREET, a few yards south of Cleveland-street.	Lot 1.—Valuable block of property, consisting of five cottages, recently erected, each containing 4 rooms, and known as BELGRAVE-TERRACE. Lot 2.—Three recently-erected houses, situate close to Lot 1, being Nos. 1, 2, and 5 of PLEASANT-TERRACE, each containing 5 rooms, with balconies and verandahs.
WAVERLEY, Smithers-street.	Choice cottage residence, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, &c., &c., with about half an acre of first-rate garden ground, well stocked with fruit trees in full bearing, now in the occupation of Mr. Macpherson.
BERRIMA.	That choice freehold property, situate in the town of BERRIMA, presently the residence of T. W. Bray, Esq., containing hall, 8 rooms, and 2 attics; also the cottage residence adjoining, containing 5 rooms and 2 attics. The out-houses comprise coach-house and hay-loft and stabling, laundry with room over, &c., &c.
CECIL-PLACE, Chippendale, just off Abercrombie-place.	LOT 1.—Those two verandah houses, each containing 3 rooms and kitchen. LOT 2.—Those two cottages, each containing 2 rooms. LOT 3.—Brick cottage, with shingled roof, containing 4 rooms, attic, kitchen, with verandah front and back; flower-garden in front, stable at rear, with side entrance. WATER LAID ON to each lot.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO.

POSITIVE SALE.

ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH,
a few yards south of Cleveland-street.

LOT 1.—Valuable Block of Property, consisting of 5 Cottages, recently erected, each containing 4 rooms, and known as BELGRAVE-TERRACE.
LOTS 2, 3.—Recently erected Houses, situate close to Lot 1, being Nos. 1, 2, and 5, PROSPECT-TERRACE, each containing 5 rooms, with balconies and verandahs.

TITLE—Residue of lease for 99 years. TERMS at sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at MORT'S ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 25th September,
LOT 1.—That valuable block of property, situate in ELIZABETH-STREET, just past CLEVELAND-STREET, consisting of 5 cottages, recently erected, each containing verandah, 4 rooms, built of brick, with shingled roofs, and known as BELGRAVE-TERRACE.
This property is subject to a ground rent of £13 per annum.
LOT 2.—Those three recently erected houses, situate close to Lot 1, built of brick, cemented, with shingled roofs, each containing 5 rooms, being Nos. 1, 2, and 5, PROSPECT TERRACE.
These houses are subject to a ground rent of £4 each per annum, and can, if desired, be sold separately.
☞ The position of the above properties is such as to command constant tenancy. The buildings have been erected quite recently in a most substantial manner, and are now in thorough order. The proprietor's instructions to effect a sale are positive, and intending investors are requested to inspect the property prior to day of sale.

POSITIVE SALE.

CECIL-PLACE, CHIPPENDALE.

LOT 1.—2 Weatherboard Cottages, with shingled roof, containing 3 rooms and kitchen.
LOT 2.—2 Weatherboard Cottages, each containing 2 rooms.
LOT 3.—Brick Cottage, with shingled roof, containing 4 rooms and attic, stable, verandah front and back, garden in front, side entrance.

Apply to Messrs. STENHOUSE and HARDY, Solicitors, Hunter-street.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Mort's Rooms, Pitt street, at 11 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 25th September,
LOT 1.—Those 2 weatherboard verandah houses, situated in CECIL-PLACE, just off Abercrombie-place, Chippendale, each containing three rooms and kitchen.
LOT 2.—Those 2 weatherboard cottages, each containing 2 rooms, situate next to lot 1.
LOT 3.—Brick cottage, with shingled roof, situate next to lot 2, containing 4 rooms, attic, and kitchen, with verandah front and back, flower garden in front, stable at rear, with side entrance.
Water laid on to each lot.
☞ These are snug little freeholds, and being in the market for positive sale in order to close accounts, the sale presents an opportunity for the investment of a small capital which should not be neglected.

That choice Freehold Property, situate in the town of BERRIMA, presently the residence of T. W. Bray, Esq.
TITLE—apply to W. W. Billyard, Esq.
TERMS at Sale.

RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Mort's Rooms, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, 25th September,
That really choice freehold, situate in best part of BERRIMA, and well-known as the property of T. W. BRAY, Esq.
THE FAMILY RESIDENCE, most faithfully and substantially built, contains on the ground floor hall and four spacious rooms; on the first floor four good rooms, with two attics, &c., above.
THE COTTAGE has five rooms on ground floor, and two attic rooms.
☞ The out-offices comprise coach-house and stabling and large hay lofts; laundry, with room over.
☞ In offering these properties to the public, RAYNES, TREEVE, and CO. desire to impress on the minds of those who are seeking pure mountain air the great advantages they command—well situated, faithfully built, commodiously arranged, they are beyond doubt for those who desire to secure such advantages, and as should not be lost sight of.

BLIGH DISTRICT.

First-class Fattening Station, known as
GUABATHOO No. 2,
and
TUDRIGAR SWAMP.

JOHN A. TURNER has received instructions from John Higgins, Esq., to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 171, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, 16th October, at 11.30,
GUABATHOO No 2,
and
TUDRIGAR SWAMP;
together with 6664 sheep, of the following ages and sexes:—
2220 mixed hoggets
400 ewes, 2 years old
600 wethers, ditto ditto
600 ditto, full-mouthed
2000 ewes, ditto ditto
44 rams
6664, more or less.

This really remunerative property is for positive sale: its fattening qualities are equal to anything in the colony, and can be most economically worked for either sheep or cattle, and is capable of carrying nearly three times the number of sheep now upon it, or a proportionate number of cattle; and the fact of being able to obtain a never-failing supply of water at a depth of 10 to 20 feet in the driest season, and having about 3½ miles frontage to the Merri Merri Creek, renders this station perfectly safe and a remunerative investment. The sheep are really first-class, possessing excellent wool and large frame, and were carefully selected by the previous owner. The improvements consist of a large dwelling-house, commodious woolshed, and necessary outstations.
Lambing is nearly over, and the purchaser may expect at least 100 per cent. lambs given in.
Shearing will commence immediately, and the wool will be handed over to the purchaser, who will be required to pay the expense of shearing.
Terms—Half cash, balance at 12 months, bearing interest at 8 per cent., secured on stock and station.
Stores and working plant at valuation.

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FUNERALS.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr WILLIAM HANCOCK are invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 334, Macquarie-street South, near the South Head Road, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Camperdown Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street 60, Riley-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. PETER HANCOCK, Butcher, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late departed FATHER, William; to move from 334, Macquarie-street South, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Camperdown Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 120, South Head Road, 60, Riley-st. (late Hill's)

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN HANCOCK, Butcher, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late departed FATHER, William; to move from No. 334, Macquarie-street South, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street South, 120, South Head Road, and Abercrombie-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOSEPH HANCOCK, Butcher, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late departed FATHER, William; to move from No. 334, Macquarie-street South, near South Head Road, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street South; 170, South Head Rd.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. CHARLES LEES, Coachbuilder, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late departed FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. William Hancock; to move from No. 334, Macquarie-street South, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street South.

THE FUNERAL of the late Mr. JAMES BENNETT will take place THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Elizabeth Bay, at 2 o'clock, and proceed to the Mortuary, per train to the Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, Undertakers, 118, South Head Road, and 737, George-street.

FUNERALS. FUNERALS.—C. KINSELA and SONS, Undertakers, beg to inform the inhabitants of the Glebe, Redfern, and Chippendale, that they have opened their Branch Establishment, George-street, directly opposite Christ Church, where they will conduct funerals in the most respectable manner, having by far the largest and best assortment of Ostrich Plumes, Hearses, Coaches, &c., in the trade. Only white hearse plumes in the colony.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

GOULBURN RACES.

24TH AND 25TH SEPTEMBER, 1872.
EXCURSION TICKETS for PASSENGERS ONLY.

Single Fare for the double journey will be issued at Sydney, on the 21st and 23rd SEPTEMBER, for GOULBURN, available for return within seven days.
JOHN RAE,
Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works—Railway Branch,
Sydney, 19th August, 1872.

NOTICE TO OFFICERS of the Army and Navy on Retired or Half-pay; to WIDOWS of Officers; to Chelsea, Greenwich, Irish CONSTABULARY, and other PENSIONERS of her Majesty's Imperial Government, residing in the colony of New South Wales.

Pensions or Allowances due to the above persons will, from and after the 1st of October next ensuing, be paid by the Colonial Treasurer, under an arrangement with the Government of New South Wales, instead of as heretofore by the Staff Paymaster.

The Honorable the Treasurer, however, retains the services of Mr. GEORGE EVANS LABERTOUCHE, as clerk in charge of the detail duties connected with payments, and all applications either by letter or in person will be made to that gentleman, at the Pension Office, Lower George street, Sydney (the one which has been for many years known as the Commissariat).

The Staff Paymaster, in notifying this change to the pensioners generally, urges upon them the desirability of their making early application in October next for the amounts due to them.

In every case it will be necessary for them to produce their pension certificates, or other authorities, under which they are empowered to draw their pensions.
Control Office, Lower George-street, Sydney,
September 18th, 1872.
H. B. A. MIDDLETON, Staff Paymaster.

AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.
ROYAL ITALIAN AND ENGLISH OPERA SEASON for 1872.
DIRECTORS, Messrs. LYSTER and CAGLI.

Under the patronage of his Excellency Sir HERCULES ROBINSON, K.C.B., and the Honorable LADY ROBINSON.

Conductor ....Mr. G. B. ALLEN, Mus. Bac. Oxon.
Stage Manager ......Mr. HENRY BEAUMONT.

THIS (Monday) EVENING, and TUESDAY.
September 23 and 24.
Last Week of the Subscription Season,
will be produced Bellini's Grand Opera,
I PURITANI.

Arturo .... Signor Leandro Coy
Ricardo .... Signor Filippo Coliva
Georgio .... Signor Enrico Dondi
Walton .... Mr. J. E. Kitts
Bruno .... Signor Francisco Benso
Enrichetta .... Signora Luigia Tournerie
Elvira .... Signora Tamburini Coy

WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 25,
L'AFRICAINE.

THURSDAY EVENING, September 26,
SATANELLA,
or THE POWER OF LOVE.

Doors open at half-past 7 o'clock, overture at 8.
Carriages ordered for 11 o'clock, set down with the horses' heads to the north, take up to the south.
Admission—Dress circle, 7s 6d; stalls, 5s; upper circle, 3s; pit, 2s; gallery, 1s.
Box Office open from 10 till 4, at ELVY and CO.'S, 321, George-street, where seats can be secured six days in advance.
Notice.—The Upper Circle is kept perfectly select, and is now one of the most comfortable parts of the theatre.

ROYAL ITALIAN AND ENGLISH OPERA.
DIRECTORS, Messrs. LYSTER and CAGLI.
SECOND SEASON OF TWENTY-FOUR NIGHTS.

Under the patronage of his Excellency Sir HERCULES ROBINSON, K.C.B., and the Honorable LADY ROBINSON.

The directors have the honour to announce to the subscribers and the public that in consequence of the unprecedented success of the season now drawing to a close, they have determined to give a second season of twenty-four nights, on the same terms as the last.
The following operas, in addition to some of the most popular ones already given, will be produced:—

MEYERBEER'S—	VERDI'S—
Les Huguenots	Macbeth
Roberto Il Diavolo.	Il Trovatore
PACINI'S—	Rigoletto
Saffo.	Ernani.
DONIZETTI'S—	AUBER'S—
La Figlia del Reggimento.	Fra Diavolo.
OFFENBACH'S—	BALFE'S—
Grande Duchesse.	Bohemian Girl.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST
at Elvy and Co.'s, 321, George-street,
OPEN on MONDAY, September 23, 1872,
and continue until
SATURDAY, September 28, 1872.

Subscribers have the privilege of securing any particular seats up to the time of closing the subscription for any night or nights during the season.

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